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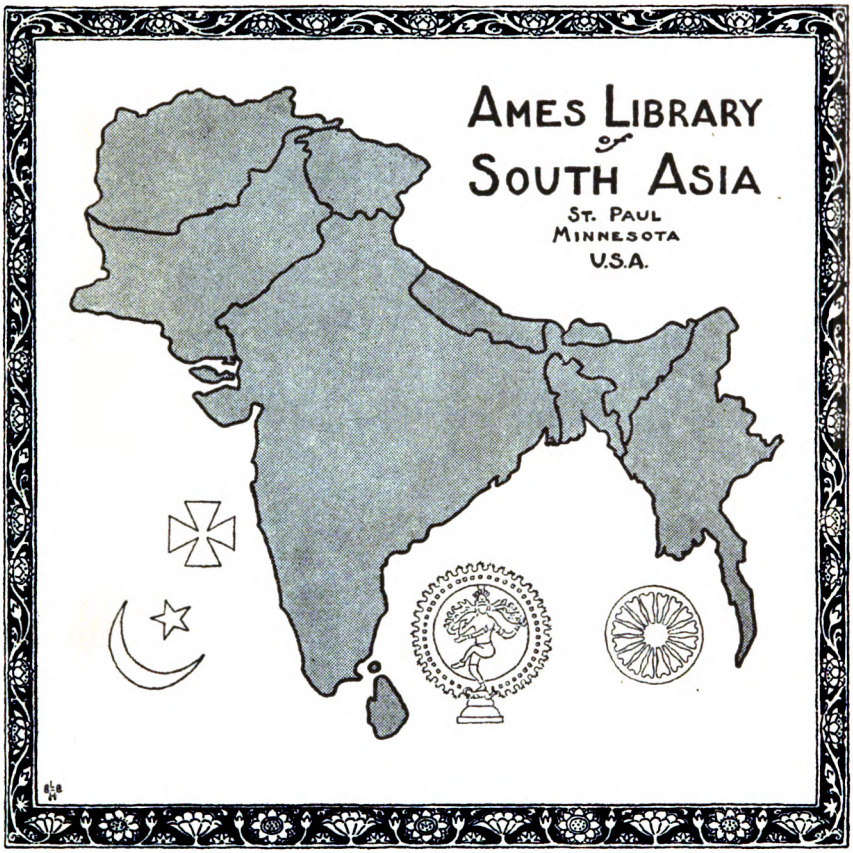

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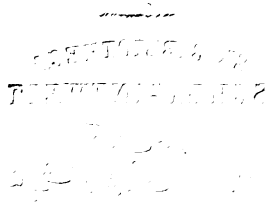

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The Singhalese New year commences	April 11th
The Mahometan New year 1272 commences	September 13th.
Ramadan (the month of abstinence) commences	May 18th.
The Jewish year 5616 commences	September 13th.

337 years since the Portuguese
199 . . . . . Dutch } established themselves in Ceylon.
58 . . . . . English

PHENOMENA.

In the year 1855, there will be two Eclipses of the Sun, and two of the Moon: of these, the following will be visible in Ceylon.

1.—*Partial Eclipse of the Sun, May 15th.*

Begins on the Earth generally at 12h. 2m. ·8, Mean time at Greenwich, in Longitude 78° 56′ E. of Greenwich, and Latitude 25° 33′ N.

2.—*Partial Eclipse of the Sun, November 9th.*

Begins on the Earth generally at 5h. 35m. ·1, Mean time at Greenwich, in Longitude 171° 38′ E. of Greenwich, and Latitude 31° 21′ S.

COLOMBO TIME.

Ceylon being so far towards the East or Sun-rising, it is already mid-day here when it is morning in England. The day here is farther advanced than at Greenwich 5 hours 19 minutes and 33 seconds, which must therefore be added to the time in England to give the time here.

The quantities given under the head "Sun's Declination" are to the nearest minute, and those under "Equation of Time" to the nearest second. By these data, with the use of a pocket sextant, the time may be readily obtained to within four seconds. Those whose objects require greater accuracy will most probably be provided with a Nautical Almanac.

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Fixed and Moveable Festivals, Anniversaries, etc.

Epiphany	Jan. 6	Birth of Queen Victoria	May 24
Martyrdom of K. Charles I.	„ 30	*Pentecost—Whit Sunday*	„ 27
Septuagesima Sunday	Feb. 4	Restoration of K. Charles II.	„ 29
Quinquagesima Sunday	„ 18	*Trinity Sunday*	June 3
Ash-Wednesday	„ 21	*Corpus Christi*	„ 7
Quadragesima—1st Sunday in Lent	„ 25	Accession of Q. Victoria	„ 20
St. David	Mar. 1	Proclamation	„ 21
St. Patrick	„ 17	St. John Baptist—Midsummer day	„ 24
Annunciation—Lady-day	„ 25	Birth of Prince Albert	Aug. 26
Palm Sunday	Apr. 1	St. Michael—Michaelmas day	Sep. 29
Good Friday	„ 6	Gunpowder Plot	Nov. 5
Easter Sunday	„ 8	Birth of Prince of Wales	„ 9
Low Sunday	„ 15	St. Andrew	„ 30
St. George	„ 23	*1st Sunday in Advent*	Dec. 3
Rogation Sunday	May 13	St. Thomas	„ 21
Ascension day—Holy Thursday	„ 17	Christmas day	„ 25

HOLIDAYS.

GOVERNMENT.

Jan. 1...Mon., New Year's day.
Feb. 21...Wed., Ash-Wednesday.
April 6...Fri., Good Friday.
—— 9...Mon. } Easter Holidays.
—— 10...Tue. }
May 17...Thurs., Ascension day.
—— 24... „ Queen's Birthday.
June 28...Thurs., Queen's Coronation day.
Aug. 26...Sun., [Mon.] Pr. Albert's Birthday
Nov. 9...Fri., Prince of Wales' Birthday.
Dec. { 26 Wed. } Christmas
{ 27 Thurs. } holidays.

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New-year's day. Good Friday. Christmas day.

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—The rains which accompany the setting in of the N. E. monsoon are usually over, the soil is still moist, the sky is clear, and the nights cold, with an along-shore or land wind blowing, which must be guarded against. Therm. Max. 86·2. Min. 73·4. Mean 79·8.

TRINCOMALIE.—The rains of the N.E. monsoon are now generally over. Strong winds from N. E. Fine weather throughout and most pleasant. Therm. Max. 82. Min. 71. Mean 78.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

FULL MOON...	3d. 1h. 39m. P. M.	NEW MOON ...	18d. 1h. 57m. P.M.
LAST QUARTER	11 5 33 ——	FIRST QUARTER	25 6 59 A. M.

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. January 1.—16′ 18″ ·3 January 16.—16 17 ·6 PARTICULAR DAYS.
	° ′	m. s.	h. m.	
M. 1	S.23 2	+ 3 44	4 18 P M.	
T. 2	22 57	4 12	5 10	Calcutta retaken, 1757.
W. 3	22 52	4 40	6 2	
Th. 4	22 46	5 7	6 54	West Indies discover'd, 1492.
F. 5	22 39	5 34	7 43	
S. 6	22 32	6 1	8 31	*Epiphany.*
SUN. 7	22 25	6 27	9 17	*1st after Epiphany.*
M. 8	22 17	6 53	10 2	
T. 9	22 9	7 18	10 46	Nelson's Funeral, 1806.
W. 10	22 0	7 43	11 27	War dec. agt. Kandy, 1815.
Th. 11	21 51	8 7	——	Trincomalie taken, 1795.
F. 12	21 42	8 30	0 14 A.M.	[1822.
S. 13	21 32	8 53	1 3	Greece decl. Independent,
SUN. 14	21 21	9 16	1 55	*2d after Epiphany.*
M. 15	21 11	9 38	2 52	
T. 16	20 59	9 59	3 54	Battle of Corunna, 1809.
W. 17	20 48	10 19	4 59	Mozart born, 1756.
Th. 18	20 36	10 39	6 6	Capture of Bhurtpore, 1826.
F. 19	20 24	10 58	7 9	Capture of Aden, 1839.
S. 20	20 11	11 16	8 7	1st English Parliament, 1269.
SUN. 21	19 58	11 33	8 59	*3rd after Epiphany.*
M. 22	19 44	11 50	9 45	
T. 23	19 30	12 6	10 30	William Pitt died, 1806.
W. 24	19 16	12 21	11 13	Handel born, 1683.
Th. 25	19 2	12 35	11 56	Robert Boyle born, 1627.
F. 26	18 47	12 48	0 40 P.M.	Dr. Jenner died, 1823.
S. 27	18 31	13 1	1 27	
SUN. 28	18 16	13 13	2 15	*4th after Epiphany.*
M. 29	18 0	13 24	3 6	
T. 30	17 44	13 34	3 59	K. Charles I. behd., 1649.
W. 31	17 27	13 43	4 51	Guy Fawkes executed, 1606.

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—The along-shore wind (a strong parching wind from the N. E.) often continues to blow the greater part of this month night and day. It carries off the moisture of the ground and the skin rapidly, and gives rheumatism, &c. to those who expose themselves incautiously to it. Therm. Max. 89. Min. 72·1. Mean 79·8.

TRINCOMALIE.—Fine weather throughout, wind N. E. but more moderate. Occasional land wind after midnight and very cold. Therm. Max. 83. Min. 72. Mean 79.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

FULL MOON...	2d. 9h. 1m. A.M.	NEW MOON ...	17d. 0h. 8m. A.M.
LAST QUARTER	10 8 20 ——	FIRST QUARTER	23 10 54 P.M.

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. February 1.—16′ 15″ ·9 February 16.—16 13 ·1 PARTICULAR DAYS.
	° ′	m. s.	h. m.	
Th. 1	S.17 10	+13 51	5 41 P.M.	Battle of Mortimer's Cross,
F. 2	16 53	13 59	6 22	Candlemas Day. [1461.
S. 3	16 36	14 6	7 14	Sir R. Peel born, 1788.
SUN. 4	16 18	14 12	7 59	*Septuagesima.*
M. 5	16 0	14 17	8 44	
T. 6	15 42	14 21	9 26	Charles II. died, 1685.
W. 7	15 23	14 25	10 11	
Th. 8	15 4	14 28	10 57	Mary Q. of Scots behd., 1587.
F. 9	14 45	14 30	11 46	[ried, 1840.
S. 10	14 26	14 31	——	H. M. Queen Victoria mar-
SUN. 11	14 6	14 31	0 39 A.M.	*Sexagesima.*
M. 12	13 47	14 31	1 37	[1820.
T. 13	13 27	14 30	2 39	Duke de Berri assassinated,
W. 14	13 6	14 28	3 43	Capture of Kandy, 1815.
Th. 15	12 46	14 26	4 46	Wn. Hastings Impchd. 1788.
F. 16	12 25	14 22	5 47	Capitulation of Colombo,
S. 17	12 4	14 19	6 41	Bat. of Meanee, 1843. [1796.
SUN. 18	11 43	14 14	7 33	*Quinquagesima.* — *Shrove*
M. 19	11 22	14 9	8 20	Galileo born, 1564. [*Sunday.*
T. 20	11 1	14 2	9 5	*Shrove Tuesday.*
W. 21	10 39	13 56	9 50	*Ash Wednesday.*
Th. 22	10 17	13 48	10 34	Lord Bacon born, 1561.
F. 23	9 55	13 40	11 22	Cato street Conspiracy, 1820.
S. 24	9 33	13 32	0 10 P.M.	French Revolution, 1848.
SUN. 25	9 11	13 22	1 1	*Quadragesima—1st in Lent.*
M. 26	8 49	13 12	1 53	
T. 27	8 26	13 2	2 45	Battle of Orthes, 1814.
W. 28	8 4	12 51	3 37	

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—The dry earth now receives far more heat from the sun than it parts with by evaporation or terrestrial radiation. The weather is becoming very warm. Notwithstanding the alternate sea breezes by day and land winds by night, the heat is oppressive compared with that of the rest of the year. Therm. Max. 88·1. Min. 74. Mean 81·8.

TRINCOMALIE.—Fine weather throughout, wind more moderate and veers round to E. N. E. and East with morning land wind. Towards the end of the month the weather becomes warm. Therm. Max. 86. Min. 72. Mean 81.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

FULL MOON ...	4d.	3h.	28m.	A.M.	NEW MOON....	18d. 10h. 5m.	A.M.
LAST QUARTER	11	7	19	P.M.	FIRST QUARTER	25 4 45	P.M.

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. March 1.—16′ 10″ ·2 March 16.—16 6 ·3 PARTICULAR DAYS.
	° ′	m. s.	h. m.	
Th. 1	S. 7 41	+12 39	4 27 P.M.	St. David's day.
F. 2	7 18	12 27	5 14	Rev. J. Wesley died, 1791.
S. 3	6 55	12 15	5 58	Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy knighted, 1842.
SUN. 4	6 32	12 2	6 41	*2nd in Lent.*
M. 5	6 9	11 48	7 25	
T. 6	5 46	11 34	8 10	
W. 7	5 23	11 20	8 56	Union of Scotland with England, 1707.
Th. 8	4 59	11 5	9 44	
F. 9	4 36	10 50	10 33	David Rizzio murd., 1566.
S. 10	4 13	10 34	11 29	
SUN. 11	3 49	10 18	——	*3rd in Lent.*
M. 12	3 25	10 2	0 28 A.M.	Chelsea Hospital founded, 1682.
T. 13	3 2	9 46	1 29	
W. 14	2 38	9 29	2 31	
Th. 15	2 14	9 12	3 30	Bogue Forts destroyed, 1842.
F. 16	1 51	8 55	4 27	Netherlands made a kingdom, 1815.
S. 17	1 27	8 38	5 20	St. Patrick's day.
SUN. 18	1 3	8 20	6 6	*4th in Lent.*—Pr. Louisa Alberta b., 1848.
M. 19	0 40	8 3	6 53	
T. 20	S. 0 16	7 45	7 38	Sir I. Newton died, 1727.
W. 21	N. 0 8	7 27	8 25	Battle of Alexandria, 1801.
Th. 22	0 31	7 8	9 12	Riots at Toronto, 1849.
F. 23	0 55	6 50	10 3	Laplace born, 1749.
S. 24	1 19	6 32	10 53	Queen Elizabeth died, 1603.
SUN. 25	1 42	6 13	11 45	*5th in Lent.—Annunciation.* —Lady Day.
M. 26	2 6	5 55	0 39 P.M.	
T. 27	2 29	5 36	1 30	Peace of Amiens, 1802.
W. 28	2 53	5 18	2 20	Abercrombie killed, 1801.
Th. 29	3 16	4 59	3 8	Capitulation of Paris, 1814.
F. 30	3 40	4 41	3 54	Sicilian Vespers, 1282.
S. 31	4 3	4 22	4 39	Allies entered Paris, 1814.

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—Indications of the approach of the S. W. monsoon are to be observed in a ground swell in the sea and S. W. breeze more steady than the sea breeze of last month. The temperature, however, continues to rise, and all who can, leave for the mountains. Therm. Max. 88·5. Min. 73·1. Mean 81·7.

TRINCOMALIE.—This is the most oppressive month in the year. The sea breeze light from the Eastward which dies away soon after sunset and remains calm all night with the Therm: seldom lower than 86. Therm. Max. 90. Min. 77. Mean 84.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

FULL MOON ...	2d. 7h. 48m. P.M.	NEW MOON ...	16d. 8h. 24m. P.M.
LAST QUARTER	10 2 56 A.M.	FIRST QUARTER	24 11 17 A.M.

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. April 1.—16′ 1″·9 April 16.—15 57 ·8 PARTICULAR DAYS.
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SUN. 1	N.4 26	+ 4 4	5 23 P.M.	*Palm Sunday.*
M. 2	4 49	3 46	6 6	
T. 3	5 12	3 27	6 53	
W. 4	5 35	3 9	7 39	[1753.
Th. 5	5 58	2 52	8 30	British Museum instituted,
F. 6	6 21	2 34	9 24	*Good Friday.*
S. 7	6 43	2 17	10 22	Sir R. Sale's victory, Jellaha-
SUN. 8	7 6	1 59	11 22	*Easter Sunday.* [bad, 1842.
M. 9	7 28	1 42	———	
T. 10	7 51	1 26	0 24 A.M.	Battle of Toulouse, 1814.
W. 11	8 13	1 9	1 23	
Th. 12	8 35	0 53	2 18	Peace of Utrecht, 1713.
F. 13	8 57	0 37	3 10	Rodney's Victory, 1782.
S. 14	9 18	0 22	3 59	
SUN. 15	9 40	0 7	4 45	*Low Sunday.*
M. 16	10 1	—0 8	5 30	1st Indian Railway opened,
T. 17	10 23	0 22	6 13	[1853.
W. 18	10 44	0 36	7 0	
Th. 19	11 5	0 50	7 49	Lord Exmouth born, 1757.
F. 20	11 25	1 3	8 41	
S. 21	11 46	1 16	9 34	Brazil discovered, 1500.
SUN. 22	12 6	1 29	10 28	*2nd after Easter.*
M. 23	12 26	1 41	11 12	St. George's day.
T. 24	12 46	1 52	0 13 P.M.	
W. 25	13 6	2 3	1 2	Princess Alice born, 1843.
Th. 26	13 25	2 14	1 48	
F. 27	13 45	2 24	2 33	Sir W. Jones died, 1794.
S. 28	14 4	2 34	3 18	Chaucer died, 1434.
SUN. 29	14 23	2 43	4 2	*3rd after Easter.*
M. 30	14 41	2 52	4 46	

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—By the middle of this month, genial showers begin to fall. The wind in the S. W., and towards the close of the month thunder and lightning in the afternoons in the S. W., with heavy showers, each preceded by a squall. Therm. Max. 87. Min. 74·7. Mean 82.

TRINCOMALIE.—A few showers generally precede the S. W. monsoon, which usually sets in about the 2d week, with very strong winds, fine dry, but hot weather to the end, the breeze extremely refreshing as soon as the Sun sets. Therm. Max. 90. Min. 79. Mean 84.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

FULL MOON...	2d.	9h.	23m.	A.M.	FIRST QUARTER	24d.	5h.	22m. A.M.
LAST QUARTER	9	8	22	——	FULL MOON ...	31	8	8 P.M.
NEW MOON...	16	17	33	——				

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. May 1.—15′ 53″·0 May 16.—15 50 ·8 PARTICULAR DAYS.
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T. 1	N.14 59	—3 0	5 19 P.M.	Prince Arthur Wm. Patrick [Albert born, 1850.
W. 2	15 18	3 7	6 22	
Th. 3	15 35	3 14	7 16	
F. 4	15 53	3 21	8 15	[1821.
S. 5	16 10	3 27	9 16	Bonaparte died at St. Helena,
SUN. 6	16 27	3 32	10 18	*4th after Easter.*—Sir R. [Cotton died, 1631.
M. 7	16 44	3 37	11 17	
T. 8	17 1	3 41	——	
W. 9	17 17	3 45	0 12 A.M.	Corp. & Test. Acts repealed, [1828.
Th. 10	17 33	3 48	1 7	
F. 11	17 49	3 50	1 54	Rangoon taken, 1824.
S. 12	18 4	3 52	2 50	
SUN. 13	18 19	3 53	3 23	*Rogation Sunday.*—Birth of [Budha, B. C. 623.
M. 14	18 34	3 54	4 8	
T. 15	18 48	3 54	4 53	Cuvier died, 1832.
W. 16	19 2	3 53	5 40	
Th. 17	19 16	3 52	6 29	*Ascension Day, Holy Thurs.*
F. 18	19 29	3 51	7 23	[Trial by Jury instit., 970.
S. 19	19 43	3 48	8 17	Bassein taken, 1852.
SUN. 20	19 55	3 46	9 12	*6th after Easter.*—Columbus [died, 1506.
M. 21	20 8	3 42	10 4	
T. 22	20 20	3 39	10 55	First Railway Act, 1801.
W. 23	20 32	3 34	11 42	Linnæus born, 1707.
Th. 24	20 43	3 30	0 27 P.M.	Queen Victoria born, 1819.
F. 25	20 54	3 24	1 7	Princess Helena born, 1846.
S. 26	21 5	3 18	1 54	
SUN. 27	21 15	3 12	2 39	*Pentecost.—Whit Sunday.*
M. 28	21 25	3 6	3 24	
T. 29	21 35	2 58	4 12	Restoration of K. Chas. II.
W. 30	21 44	2 51	5 5	
Th. 31	21 53	2 43	5 49	Dr. Chalmers died, 1847.

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—It now rains heavily with squalls from the S. W. The sky often clouded for a fortnight; but it seldom rains 24 hours without intermission. Therm. Max. 84·8. Min. 74·9. Mean 81·9.

TRINCOMALIE.—Strong winds from S. W. throughout, fine dry weather, clear atmosphere. Therm. Max. 90. Min. 79. Mean 84.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

LAST QUARTER	7d.	1h.	8m. P.M.	FIRST QUARTER	22d.	10h.	12m. P.M.
NEW MOON...	14	7	49 ——	FULL MOON ...	30	4	34 A. M.

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. June 1.—15′ 48″·2 June 16.—15 46 ·5 PARTICULAR DAYS.
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F. 1	N.22 1	—2 34	7 4 P.M.	N. Poussin born, 1594.
S. 2	22 10	2 25	8 7	No Popery Riots, 1780.
SUN. 3	22 17	2 16	9 9	*Trinity Sunday.*
M. 4	22 25	2 6	10 9	
T. 5	22 31	1 56	11 4	Gas Lights, 1807.
W. 6	22 38	1 46	11 53	P. Corneille born, 1606.
Th. 7	22 44	1 35	——	*Corpus Christi.*
F. 8	22 50	1 24	0 39 A.M.	Seven Bishops sent to the [Tower, 1688.
S. 9	22 55	1 13	1 24	
SUN. 10	23 0	1 1	2 6	1*st after Trinity.*
M. 11	23 5	0 49	2 50	
T. 12	23 9	0 37	3 36	
W. 13	23 13	0 24	4 24	Sir Colin Campbell d., 1847.
Th. 14	23 16	0 12	5 14	
F. 15	23 19	+0 1	6 7	Magna Charta signed, 1215.
S. 16	23 21	0 14	7 2	
SUN. 17	23 23	0 26	7 56	*2nd after Trinity.*
M. 18	23 25	0 39	8 47	Waterloo, 1815.
T. 19	23 26	0 52	9 36	
W. 20	23 27	1 5	10 22	Queen's Accession, 1837.
Th. 21	23 28	1 19	11 5	Queen Proclaimed, 1837.
F. 22	23 28	1 32	11 50	
S. 23	23 27	1 44	0 31 P.M.	Stamp Duties instit., 1694.
SUN. 24	23 26	1 57	1 16	3*rd after Trinity.*—Midsum- [mer Day.
M. 25	23 25	2 10	2 2	
T. 26	23 23	2 23	2 51	George IV. died, 1830.
W. 27	23 21	2 35	3 45	Battle of Pultowa, 1709.
Th. 28	23 19	2 48	4 45	Queen's Coronation, 1838.
F. 29	23 16	3 0	5 49	
S. 30	23 13	3 12	6 55	

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—The rains mostly over and a steady S. W. wind blowing day and night; the difference between the wet and dry thermometer seldom exceeding 6°. Therm. Max. 84. Min. 74·9. Mean 80·2.

TRINCOMALIE.—Strong winds from S. W., clear weather, occasional (sometimes very violent) squalls from N. W. with lightning, thunder and heavy rain for an hour, cooling the air greatly, and the excessive heat of the monsoon may be considered over. Therm. Max. 89. Min. 76. Mean 83.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

LAST QUARTER	6d.	6h.	48m.	P.M.	FIRST QUARTER	22d. 1h. 10m. P.M.	
NEW MOON...	14	9	21	A.M.	FULL MOON ...	29 11 40 A.M.	

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. July 1.—15′ 46″·0 July 16.—15 46 ·4 PARTICULAR DAYS.
	° ′	m. s.	h. m.	
SUN. 1	N.23 9	+3 23	7 56 P.M.	*4th after Trinity.*
M. 2	23 5	3 35	8 55	Sir R. Peel died, 1850.
T. 3	23 1	3 46	9 49	
W. 4	22 56	3 57	10 37	Decl. American Ind., 1776.
Th. 5	22 50	4 8	11 21	Algiers taken by the French,
F. 6	22 45	4 18	——	Chusan capt., 1840. [1829.
S. 7	22 39	4 28	0 6 A.M.	
SUN. 8	22 32	4 38	0 49	*5th after Trinity.*—Peace of
M. 9	22 25	4 47	1 34	[Tilsit, 1807.
T. 10	22 18	4 56	2 21	[1584.
W. 11	22 10	5 5	3 10	Pr. of Orange assassinated,
Th. 12	22 2	5 13	4 1	French Revolution, 1789.
F. 13	21 54	5 20	4 55	Duke of Orleans killed, 1842.
S. 14	21 45	5 28	5 50	Birmingham Riots, 1791.
SUN. 15	21 36	5 34	6 42	*6th after Trinity.*
M. 16	21 27	5 41	7 31	Death of Budha, B. C. 543.
T. 17	21 17	5 46	8 18	Isaac Watts born, 1674.
W. 18	21 6	5 52	9 3	Petrarch died, 1374.
Th. 19	20 56	5 56	9 45	Pr. Augusta of Cambridge
F. 20	20 45	6 0	10 36	[born, 1822.
S. 21	20 34	6 4	11 10	Lord Russell beheaded, 1683.
SUN. 22	20 22	6 7	11 54	*7th after Trinity.*
M. 23	20 10	6 9	0 40 P.M.	Ghuzni taken by storm, 1839.
T. 24	19 58	6 11	1 32	Insurances began, 1696.
W. 25	19 45	6 12	2 28	
Th. 26	19 32	6 13	3 28	
F. 27	19 19	6 13	4 32	
S. 28	19 5	6 12	5 36	
SUN. 29	18 51	6 11	6 39	*8th after Trinity.*
M. 30	18 37	6 9	7 36	
T. 31	18 22	6 7	8 28	

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—Weather the same as July, but somewhat warmer, in consequence of the smaller amount of evaporation. Therm. Max. 84. Min. 76. Mean 80·9.

TRINCOMALIE.—The wind still S. W., but occasional sea breeze from noon to sunset, attended with lightning, thunder, and passing showers. Therm. Max. 89. Min. 75. Mean 83.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

LAST QUARTER	5d.	2h.	41m.	A.M.	FIRST QUARTER	21d.	1h.	53m. A.M.
NEW MOON...	13	0	12	——	FULL MOON ...	27	6	41 P.M.

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. August 1.—15′ 47″·9 August 16.—15 50 ·3 PARTICULAR DAYS.
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W. 1	N.18 7	+6 3	9 15 P.M.	
Th. 2	17 52	6 0	10 2	Battle of Blenheim, 1704.
F. 3	17 37	5 56	10 46	
S. 4	17 21	5 51	11 32	
SUN. 5	17 5	5 45	——	*9th after Trinity.*
M. 6	16 49	5 40	0 19 A.M.	Pr. Alfred E. Albert b., 1844.
T. 7	16 32	5 33	1 8	
W. 8	16 15	5 26	1 58	Batavia surrendered, 1811.
Th. 9	15 58	5 18	2 51	
F. 10	15 41	5 10	3 43	Hurricane, Barbadoes, 1831.
S. 11	15 23	5 1	4 35	
SUN. 12	15 5	4 52	5 26	*10th after Trinity.*
M. 13	14 47	4 42	6 15	
T. 14	14 29	4 31	7 1	Printing invented, 1437.
W. 15	14 10	4 20	7 44	Sir Walter Scott born, 1771.
Th. 16	13 52	4 9	8 25	Ben. Jonson died, 1637.
F. 17	13 33	3 57	9 8	Duchess of Kent born, 1786.
S. 18	13 13	3 44	9 52	[George sunk, 1782.
SUN. 19	12 54	3 31	10 37	*11th after Trinity.*— Royal
M. 20	12 34	3 17	11 24	
T. 21	12 14	3 3	0 16 P.M.	
W. 22	11 54	2 49	1 12	Treaty of Peace, China, 1852.
Th. 23	11 34	2 33	2 13	Sir W. Herschell died, 1822.
F. 24	11 14	2 18	3 26	
S. 25	10 53	2 2	4 19	Congress of Verona, 1822.
SUN. 26	10 32	1 45	5 18	*12th after Trinity.*—Prince
M. 27	10 12	1 29	6 13	[Albert born, 1819.
T. 28	9 50	1 11	7 4	
W. 29	9 29	0 54	7 52	John Locke born, 1632.
Th. 30	9 8	0 36	8 33	Torres Straits disc., 1606.
F. 31	8 46	0 18	9 25	Bunyan died, 1688.

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—Weather the same as July and August, but warmer in consequence of the smaller amount of evaporation. These months are usually cool, however, compared with March, April and May, and towards the end of this month heavy showers fall. Therm. Max. 85. Min. 75·4. Mean 80·9.

TRINCOMALIE.—Land and sea breezes, towards sunset lightning, thunder, and occasional showers, calm oppressive nights. Therm. Max. 89. Min. 75. Mean 82.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

LAST QUARTER	3d. 1h. 44m. P. M.	FIRST QUARTER	19d. 0h. 21m. P. M.
NEW MOON...	11 4 12 ——	FULL MOON...	26 2 45 A. M.

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. September 1.—15′ 53″ ·5 September 16.—15 57 ·3 PARTICULAR DAYS.
	° ′	m. s.	h. m.	
S. 1	N. 8 25	— 0 1	10 12 P.M.	
SUN. 2	8 3	0 20	11 2	13*th after Trinity.*—Fire of [London, 1666.
M. 3	7 41	0 39	11 54	
T. 4	7 19	0 58	——	
W. 5	6 57	1 18	0 46 A.M.	Malta taken, 1800.
Th. 6	6 34	1 38	1 40	Scottish Rebellion, 1715.
F. 7	6 12	1 57	2 32	Queen Elizabeth born, 1533.
S. 8	5 49	2 18	3 24	
SUN. 9	5 27	2 38	4 11	14*th after Trinity.*—Bat. of [Flodden Field, 1513.
M. 10	5 4	2 59	4 57	
T. 11	4 41	3 19	5 43	Battle of Limbach, 1793.
W. 12	4 18	3 40	6 25	
Th. 13	3 55	4 1	7 7	Duke of Wellington d., 1852.
F. 14	3 32	4 22	7 50	New York surr., 1776.
S. 15	3 9	4 43	8 34	Marshal Turenne b., 1611.
SUN. 16	2 46	5 4	9 20	15*th after Trinity.*
M. 17	2 23	5 25	10 10	
T. 18	2 0	5 46	11 5	Quebec capitulated, 1759.
W. 19	1 36	6 7	0 2 P.M.	Battle of Poictiers, 1356.
Th. 20	1 13	6 28	1 3	
F. 21	0 41	6 49	2 3	Sir W. Scott died, 1832.
S. 22	0 26	7 10	3 1	
SUN. 23	N. 0 3	7 31	3 57	16*th after Trinity.*
M. 24	S. 0 21	7 52	4 48	
T. 25	0 44	8 13	5 36	Colombus' 2d voyage, 1492.
W. 26	1 7	8 33	6 26	Lord Collingwood b., 1750.
Th. 27	1 31	8 54	7 13	
F. 28	1 54	9 14	8 1	Sir W. Jones born, 1746.
S. 29	2 18	9 34	8 52	Michaelmas Day.
SUN. 30	2 41	9 53	9 43	17*th after Trinity.*

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—The first half of this month is usually marked by rains, due to the N. E. monsoon, which are very heavy though of short duration. By these the air is cooled and the soil refreshed, though extensive inundations often result. Therm. Max. 86·4. Min. 73·6. Mean 80·1.

TRINCOMALIE.—Land and sea breezes with occasional showers; towards the end of the month gloomy weather. Therm. Max. 87. Min. 74. Mean 81.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

LAST QUARTER	3d.	4h.	24m.	A. M.	FIRST QUARTER	18d. 8h. 58m. P. M.	
NEW MOON	11	8	44	——	FULL MOON	25 0 47	——

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. October 1.—16′ 1″·3 October 16.—16 5 ·5 PARTICULAR DAYS.
	° ′	m. s.	h. m.	
M. 1	S. 3 4	—10 13	10 37 P.M.	
T. 2	3 28	10 32	11 32	
W. 3	3 51	10 51	——	
Th. 4	4 14	11 9	0 25 A.M.	Bishop Heber died, 1833.
F. 5	4 37	11 27	1 18	
S. 6	5 0	11 45	2 7	Louis Philippe born, 1773.
SUN. 7	5 23	12 2	2 54	18*th after Trinity*.—Peace [with America, 1783.
M. 8	5 46	12 19	3 39	Benjamin West born, 1738.
T. 9	6 9	12 35	4 21	
W. 10	6 32	12 51	5 4	
Th. 11	6 55	13 7	5 48	America discovered, 1492.
F. 12	7 18	13 22	6 22	
S. 13	7 40	13 36	7 19	Queenstown taken, 1812.
SUN. 14	8 3	13 50	8 8	19*th after Trinity*.—The [Conquest, 1066.
M. 15	8 25	14 4	9 1	
T. 16	8 47	14 17	9 56	
W. 17	9 9	14 29	10 56	
Th. 18	9 31	14 41	11 56	Battle of Leipzig, 1813.
F. 19	9 53	14 52	0 53 P.M.	Dean Swift died, 1745.
S. 20	10 15	15 3	1 46	Cochin taken, 1795.
SUN. 21	10 36	15 13	2 37	20*th after Trinity*.—Battle [of Trafalgar, 1805.
M. 22	10 58	15 22	3 25	
T. 23	11 19	15 31	4 12	
W. 24	11 40	15 39	5 0	Peace of Westphalia, 1648.
Th. 25	12 1	15 46	5 48	Battle of Agincourt, 1415.
F. 26	12 22	15 53	6 37	
S. 27	12 42	15 59	7 30	Cuba discovered, 1492.
SUN. 28	13 2	16 4	8 24	21*st after Trinity*.
M. 29	13 22	16 9	9 21	
T. 30	13 42	16 12	10 16	
W. 31	14 2	16 15	11 11	Hallow Even.

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—The pleasant weather of the latter part of October is usually continued to the middle of this month, when thunder clouds gather every afternoon in the N. E. followed by night rains and land winds. Therm. Max. 87·5. Min. 70·9. Mean 78·86.

TRINCOMALIE.—Variable winds, sky overcast, squalls, lightning, thunder, and occasional heavy rains, until the third week, when the N. E. wind generally sets in strong with more constant rain. Therm. Max. 84. Min. 72. Mean 77.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

LAST QUARTER	1d.	10h.	37m.	P. M.	FIRST QUARTER	17d.	4h.	35m. A.M.
NEW MOON...	10	0	51	A. M.	FULL MOON ...	24	1	11 ——

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. November 1.—16′ 9″ ·7 November 16.—16 13 ·1 PARTICULAR DAYS.
	° ′	m. s.	h. m.	
Th. 1	S.14 21	—16 17	——	Earthquake at Lisbon, 1755.
F. 2	14 41	16 18	0 1 A.M.	Duke of Kent born, 1767.
S. 3	15 0	16 18	0 48	
SUN. 4	15 18	16 18	1 33	*22nd after Trinity.*
M. 5	15 37	16 17	2 17	Gunpowder Plot, 1605.
T. 6	15 55	16 15	3 0	
W. 7	16 13	16 12	3 43	First Newspaper, 1665.
Th. 8	16 31	16 8	4 27	Milton died, 1674.
F. 9	16 48	16 3	5 13	Prince of Wales born, 1841.
S. 10	17 5	15 58	6 2	Luther born, 1483.
SUN. 11	17 22	15 51	6 55	*23rd after Trinity.*
M. 12	17 38	15 44	7 51	
T. 13	17 55	15 36	8 50	
W. 14	18 11	15 27	9 49	
Th. 15	18 26	15 17	10 48	Lord Chatham born, 1708.
F. 16	18 41	15 7	11 42	Rubens born, 1577.
S. 17	18 56	14 55	0 34 P.M.	Queen Charlotte died, 1818.
SUN. 18	19 11	14 43	1 21	*24th after Trinity.*—City of [Poonah taken, 1817.
M. 19	19 25	14 30	2 7	
T. 20	19 39	14 16	2 50	Pegu taken, 1852.
W. 21	19 53	14 2	3 36	Princess Royal born, 1840.
Th. 22	20 6	13 46	4 23	Treaty with Scindia, 1805.
F. 23	20 19	13 30	5 14	
S. 24	20 31	13 13	6 10	John Knox died, 1572.
SUN. 25	20 43	12 55	7 5	*25th after Trinity.*
M. 26	20 55	12 37	8 2	
T. 27	21 6	12 18	8 59	Princess Mary of Cambridge [b., 1833.
W. 28	21 17	11 58	9 51	
Th. 29	21 27	11 37	10 40	Polish Revolution, 1830.
F. 30	21 37	11 16	11 27	St. Andrew's day.

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THE WEATHER.

COLOMBO.—The rains from the N. E. of the preceding month often continue during this, usually with thunder and lightning and alternate sea breezes and land winds, so that the new year sets in with the soil saturated with moisture and colder than at any other time. Therm. Max. 85. Min. 68·9. Mean 78·4.

TRINCOMALIE.—Heavy rain with strong winds and squalls from N.E. Much lightning and thunder until towards the end of the month, when the weather clears up and is very pleasant. Therm. Max. 82. Min. 72. Mean 78.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

LAST QUARTER	1d.	7h.	31m.	P.M.	FULL MOON...	23d.	3h.	59m. P.M.
NEW MOON...	8	3	38	——	LAST QUARTER	31	5	24 ——
FIRST QUARTER	16	0	16	——				

DAY OF THE MONTH.	GREENWICH MEAN NOON. Sun's Declination.	Equation of Time to be applied to apparent time.	MOON RISES AT COLOMBO.	Sun's Semidiameter. December 1.—16′ 15″·8 December 16.—16 17 ·6 PARTICULAR DAYS.
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S. 1	S. 21 47	—10 54	——	Buonaparte crowned, 1804.
SUN. 2	21 56	10 31	0 12 A. M.	*1st in Advent.*—Queen Ade-
M. 3	22 5	10 7	0 54	[laide died, 1849.
T. 4	22 13	9 43	1 36	
W. 5	22 21	9 19	2 19	Mozart died, 1792.
Th. 6	22 29	8 54	3 4	Insurr. in Canada, 1837.
F. 7	22 36	8 28	3 52	
S. 8	22 43	8 2	4 43	Milton born, 1608.
SUN. 9	22 49	7 35	5 41	*2nd in Advent.*—Mauritius
M. 10	22 55	7 8	6 39	[surrendered, 1810.
T. 11	23 0	6 40	7 41	
W. 12	23 5	6 12	8 40	New Zealand discov. 1642.
Th. 13	23 9	5 44	9 39	
F. 14	23 13	5 15	10 31	Washington died, 1799.
S. 15	23 17	4 46	11 20	
SUN. 16	23 20	4 17	0 4 P. M.	*3rd in Advent.*— Cromwell
M. 17	23 22	3 48	0 48	[dec. Protector. 1653
T. 18	23 24	3 18	1 33	
W. 19	23 26	2 49	2 17	Battle of Niagara, 1813.
Th. 20	23 27	2 19	3 6	Louis Napoleon procl. 1848.
F. 21	23 27	1 49	3 58	Battle of Feroozeshah, 1845.
S. 22	23 28	1 19	4 53	Insurrection, Jamaica, 1831.
SUN. 23	23 27	0 49	5 50	*4th in Advent.*
M. 24	23 27	0 19	6 46	
T. 25	23 25	+0 11	7 41	*Christmas Day.*—Newton b.
W. 26	23 24	0 40	8 32	[1642.
Th. 27	23 21	1 10	9 20	
F. 28	23 19	1 40	10 6	
S. 29	23 16	2 9	10 49	
SUN. 30	23 12	2 38	11 31	*1st after Christmas.*—Trea-
M. 31	23 8	3 7	——	[ty with Scindia, 1803.

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Account of the Calendar.

The JULIAN OR COMMON CIVIL YEAR* is that which is employed in chronology. This is in effect a solar year, commonly containing a certain number of whole days, the odd hours and minutes being set aside to render the computation of time in the common concerns of life more easy, and consists of 365 *days* or 13 *months*, 1 *day*; or 52 *weeks*, 1 *day*, for three years together; but every fourth year a day (or in the four years 6 hours for each year) being added to February, it then contains 366 days; this is called *bissextile* or *leap year*, consequently the mean Julian year, will be 365 *days*, 6 *hours*.

The MEAN SOLAR, ASTRONOMICAL, TROPICAL, NATURAL, OR EQUINOCTIAL YEAR is the true standard of time, and is the period of time in which the earth performs a revolution about the sun, or passes from the first point of *Aries* to the same first point of *Aries* again; and has been assumed, according to Bessel (see *Connaissance des Temps*, 1831, Additions, p. 154.), equal to 365·242218 *mean solar days*=365*d*. 5*h*. 48*m*..47·6352*s*.

Although the Julian method of intercalation is perhaps the most convenient that could be adopted; yet, as the science of astronomy advanced the length of the astronomical year was found to be shorter than the Julian correction supposes by 11*m*. 12·3648*s*., it could not, without correction, very long answer the purpose for which it was devised, namely, that of preserving always the same interval of time between the commencement of the year and the equinox, and thus would a degree of confusion be introduced into the relative divisions of the year, and be productive of great inconvenience: at length it was discovered that an error of one day too much would take place in 129 years (for as 11*m*. 12·3648*s* : 1 *year* : : 1*d*. : *x*); but in the time of Cæsar the length of the year was an astronomical element not very well determined. In the course of a few centuries, however, the equinox sensibly retrograded towards the beginning of the year in consequence of the precession of the equinoxes. When the Julian calendar was introduced, the equinox fell on the 25th of March; at the time of the Council of Nice, which was held *Anno Domini* 325, it fell on the 21st of March. This imperfection of the calendar was noticed as early as the time of the Venerable Bede; but the reformation of it did not take place till many centuries after: *Petrus ab Alliaco* and *Cusa*, two learned Cardinals, not only pointed out these imperfections to the Councils of Constance and Lateran, but suggested the means for its correction; and in A. D. 1474, *Pope Sixtus the IVth* engaged *Regiomontanus*, an eminent mathematician, in this task of reform, though from the circumstance of the death of *Regiomontanus* the project was not carried into effect. And when the reformation was made, in 1582, the equinox had retrograded to the 11th of March; therefore, in order to make the calendar more correct, *Pope Gregory the XIIIth* invited *Clavius* and *Ciaconius*, the most celebrated astronomers and mathematicians of the age, with others, to superintend the reconstruction of the calendar: they having found that by the introduction of the bissextile days, a difference had arisen of *ten days* between the calendar and actual time, owing to the odd minutes and seconds which the bissextile year occasioned the calendar to exceed the true period of the sun's progress, the *Pope* then issued a brief, in the month of March 1582, in which he abolished the use of the ancient calendar. And in order to restore the commencement of the year to the same place in the seasons that it had occupied at the time of the Council of Nice, Gregory directed the day following the feast of St. Francis, that is to say, the 5th of October, to be reckoned the 15th of that month. By this regulation the vernal equinox, which now happened on the 11th of March, was restored to the 21st. This last amendment of the calendar having taken place under the direction of *Pope Gregory the XIIIth*, was, out of respect to him, called the *Gregorian* or *New Style*, in opposition to the *Julian* or *Old Style*, and has been adopted by almost every Christian nation. The *Gregorian Style* was immediately acceded to by all those parts of Europe which were under the papal authority, but the Protestants adhered to the *Julian Style* with obstinate pertinacity; and the Protestants of Germany have the credit of having first rectified such inconsistency, by throwing eleven days out of their calendar in 1700; while it is worthy of remark, that the Russians, regardless of

* The first Julian year commenced with the first of January of the 46th before the birth of Christ, and ; 8 from the foundation of the city of Rome.

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propriety, still adhere to the Julian style, and therefore, by another centurial leap-year having] occurred, viz. in the year 1800, they now differ from us 12 days in their date of time. Now as the error of the Julian intercalation was found to amount to three days in 400 years, he ordered intercalations to be omitted on all the centenary years, excepting those which are multiples of 400. According to the Gregorian rule of intercalation, therefore, to know when it is *bissextile* or *leap year*, divide the year by 4, and the remainder shews how long it is after leap year; if nothing remains it is leap year, excepting the centurial years, which are only leap years when divisible by 4 after suppressing the two zeros. Thus 1600 and 2000 are leap years, because 16 and 20 are divisible by 4; but 1700, 1800, and 1900 are common years, and so on, because 17, 18, and 19 are not divisible by 4, but these would have been leap years by the Julian calendar. As the Gregorian method of intercalation has been adopted in all Christian countries, Russia excepted, it becomes interesting to examine with what degree of accuracy it reconciles the civil with the solar year; therefore the only thing in the correction of the calendar that requires a high degree of mathematical science is the determination of the length of the astronomical year; yet this has never been perfectly ascertained. Had the mean astronomical year been more accurately determined in the time of Julius Cæsar, the Julian correction would, probably, have superseded the necessity of the Gregorian. Although the Gregorian calendar is far preferable to the Julian, yet it is not without its defects (perhaps, as *Tycho Brahe* and *Cassini* imagine, it is impossible ever to bring the calendar to a perfect justness). According to the latest determinations of modern astronomy, the *mean solar year* consists of 365 *d.* 5 *h.* 48 *m.* 47·6352 *s.*, or 365·242218 *d.* Now the Gregorian rule gives 97 intercalations in 400 years; 400 years therefore contain $365 \times 400 + 97 = 146097$ days, and consequently one year contains 365·2425 days or 365*d.* 5*h.* 49*m.* 12*s.* This exceeds the true solar year by 24·3648 seconds, which amount to a day in 3546 years; for as 24·3648 *s.* : 1 *year* : : 1 *d.* : *x*. It is perhaps unnecessary to make any formal provision against an error which can only happen after so long a period of time; but as 3546 differs little from 4000, it has been proposed to correct the Gregorian rule by making the year 4000 and all its multiples common years. With this correction the rule of intercalation is as follows:—Every year, the number of which is divisible by 4, is a leap year, excepting the last year of each century, which is a leap year only when the number of the century is divisible by 4; but 4000, and its multiples, 8000, 12000, 16000, &c., are common years. Thus the uniformity of the intercalation by continuing to depend on the number 4, is preserved; and by adopting the last correction the commencement would not vary more than a day from its present place in 31250 years. For as the Gregorian intercalation gives 97 days in 400 years, consequently in 4000 years 970 days would be intercalated; but one day is now omitted at the end of every 4000 years, therefore only 969 days are intercalated, consequently the civil year will be $365\,d. + \frac{969}{4000} = 365{\cdot}24225\,d. = 365\,d.\ 5h.\ 48m.\ 50{\cdot}4\,s.$; but this exceeds the mean solar year by 2·7648 seconds, and it would require 31250 years to make the beginning of the civil and tropical year be a day apart, for as 2·7684 *s.* : 1 *year* : : 1 *d.* : *x*.

From the year 1582 to 1700 the difference between the old and new style continued to be ten days; but 1700 being a leap year in the Julian calendar, and a common year in the Gregorian, the difference of the styles during the eighteenth century was 11 days. The year 1800 was also common in the new calendar, and consequently the difference in the present century is twelve days, and so will continue till the year 1900, and from 1900 to 2100 will be thirteen days, and at every centesimal year, which is not exactly divisible by 4, will be an increase of one day more, excepting 4000 and its multiples. In Great Britain the alteration from the old to the new style was for a long time successfully opposed by popular prejudice, but the inconvenience had been so generally felt in matters of history and chronology, that at length, in 1751, an Act of Parliament was passed for the adoption of the new style in the year following, in all public and legal transactions under the crown. The difference of the two styles, which then amounted to eleven days, was removed by ordering the day following the 2*nd* of September of the year 1752 to be accounted the 14*th* of that month, whereby that month consisted of only nineteen days: and in order to preserve uniformity in future the Gregorian rule of intercalation respecting the secular years was adopted.

The SIDEREAL OR ASTRAL YEAR is the time elapsed from the sun's quitting a particular fixed star to its return to the same fixed star again, and it exceeds the solar year by 20 *m.* 19·9561 *s.*, making the sidereal year 365 *d.* 6 *h.* 9 *m.* 7·5913 *s.*; this difference is called the precession or retrograde motion of the equinoxes, by which

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the fixed stars gain about 50·1 seconds in right ascension every year; consequently the length of a sidereal year can then be determined by no method more obvious or more correct than this:—

As 360 *deg.* 50·1 *s.* : 365 *d.* 5 *h.* 48 *m.* 47·6352 *s.* : : 360 *deg.* : 365 *d.* 6 *h.* 9 *m.* 7·5913 *s.*

The ANOMALISTIC YEAR is the interval whch is occupied by the sun in passing from *apogee* to *apogee*, or from *perigee* to *perigee*; it is greater than the sidereal year by the time required to describe the annual progression of the apogee: now the progression of the apogee (its increase of longitude) being 11·8 seconds, therefore the anomalistic year is complete when the sun has described 360 *deg.* 0 *m.* 11·8 *s.* Hence to find the length of an anomalistic year—

As 360 *deg.* : 365 *d.* 6 *h.* 9 *m.* 7·5913 *s.* : : 360 *deg.* 0 *m.* 11·8 *s.* : 365 *d.* 6 *h.* 13 *m.* 54·9263 *s.*

Therefore the anomalistic year is longer than the sidereal by 4 *m.* 47·335 *s.*, and longer than the equinoctial by 25 *m.* 7·2911 *s.*

Apparent or *true time* is that which is denoted by the sun-dial, from the apparent motion of the sun, and differs several minutes in certain parts of the ecliptic from the mean time, or that shewn by the clock. The difference is called the equation of time and is set down in the almanac in order to ascertain the true time. This irregularity is produced by two principal causes, viz. the obliquity of the ecliptic to the equator, and the eccentricity of the earth's orbit, and by the small deviations from elliptical motion produced by the moon and planets.

A *lunar month or synodic revolution of the moon* is the time between two consecutive conjunctions of the moon, called the change or new moon. This period varies considerably, in consequence of the variation of the eccentricity of the moon's orbit.

A *mean lunation* is, according to Laplace, 29*d.* 12 *h.* 44 *m.* 2·8032 *s.*, and the excess in each year is 11 days, from which the epact or moon's age at the commencement of any year may be found; and this is used for finding the moon's age at any time in the year.

A *day* is that portion of time in which the earth makes one complete revolution on its axis, and is measured by the interval between two successive transits of any fixed star over the same meridian. The *civil day* is reckoned from one midnight to another, being divided into two periods of hours counted from one to twelve, twice over, among the ancient Egyptians and Romans, with modern English, Dutch, Germans, Spaniards, and Portuguese; but in astronomical calculations, the day is always supposed to begin at noon, and to end at the noon of the following day, the hours being reckoned up to 24. Therefore, if civil time be P.M. it agrees with astronomical time; but if the civil time is A.M., add 12 hours to it, and the sum will be the corresponding astronomical time of the preceding day.

The Hebrew year is reckoned from the Creation, in lunar years consisting of 12 lunar months of 29½ days each and from new moon to new moon. The Jewish year in general contains 354 days.

The Mahomedan era commences with the introduction of the Mahomedan religion by Mahomet. Their year, like that of the Jews, consists generally of 354 days.

The Chinese divide the night and day into twelve equal parts, beginning their reckoning from midnight. Hence their hours are double the length of ours.

The common Chinese year consists of twelve lunar months and their intercalary year has thirteen. Their months have no subdivision, that is, they have no weeks. Their common way of dating is by the day of the month and the year of the reigning Emperor. As for example, *fifth* of the sixth *moon* in the 12th year of the Kia-King.

The moon with which their year commences, is that which falls nearest to the fifteenth degree of *Aquarius*, corresponding to the 3d or 4th of February.

The Chinese have no particular days for religious worship. Their great festival is the first of the year, on which day they shut up their shops, dress in their best clothes, and pay visits.

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Explanation of Feasts and Festivals.

THE DAY of CIRCUMCISION, or NEW YEAR'S DAY.—This day was kept as a festival by the Greeks in celebration of the completion of the Sun's annual course, and by the Romans in honor of their god Janus. The Day of Circumcision was instituted in the Christian Church A. D. 487, and introduced into the English Liturgy in 1550 in commemoration of the Circumcision of our Lord Jesus Christ, eight days after his Nativity.

EPIPHANY, TWELFTH-DAY, or OLD CHRISTMAS DAY,—is kept as a festival throughout Christendom in commemoration of the manifestation of the Lord Jesus Christ upon earth. Antiently it was celebrated as the Feast of the Nativity during twelve days, namely, from Christmas unto the 12th day onwards. The first and last of these days were denominated the *greater* and *lesser* Epiphany. The first, on account of the Lord Jesus having on that day assumed the human form; and the second, on account of the appearance of the star which conducted the Wise men from the East to Bethlehem, there to worship the infant Saviour.

CANDLEMAS DAY, PURIFICATION of the VIRGIN MARY,—was antiently called the day of *Christ's Presentation;* and is still kept as a solemn festival in memorial of the humiliation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, who whilst submitting to the Law that enjoined personal purification after childbirth, presented the infant Jesus in the Temple.

SEPTUAGESIMA, SEXAGESIMA, QUINQUAGESIMA, and QUADRAGESIMA SUNDAYS, are so called to signify in even and round numbers, the seventieth, sixtieth, fiftieth, and fortieth day before Easter.

SHROVE TUESDAY.—This day, preceding the first day of Lent, is so called from the Saxon word *Shrive*, to confess; because in antient times, on this day, every person in England was obliged to confess to his own parish priest in his own parish church.

ASH WEDNESDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF LENT.—Originally so called from the custom that prevailed of penitents, when admitted to the Church to express humiliation on account of their sins, appearing clothed in *sackcloth*, and having *Ashes* sprinkled on their heads.

LENT, signifies *spring*. The forty days before Easter, therefore, being observed by Christians as days of humiliation, fasting and prayer, were called the Spring, or Lenten Fast.

LADY DAY,—is celebrated throughout the Christian world under the title of *The Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*, or the day on which Almighty God sent the Angel Gabriel to announce to her the fulfilment in her person of the prophecies that foretelling the wondrous scheme of salvation, declared a Virgin should conceive and bear a Son, &c.—(See Gen. iii. 15: Is. vii. 14; ix. 6: Mic. v. 2, &c.)—Lady day is also in civil calculation, the 1st of the four quarter-days, as they are called, of the year.

PALM SUNDAY.—The Sunday before Easter, commemorated throughout the Christian Church, as the anniversary of our Saviour's last entry into Jerusalem, when the people took branches of Palm, and went forth to meet him and cried, Hosanna: blessed is the King of Israel, who cometh in the name of the Lord. This day is also called *Passion Sunday*, as the first day of the Passion week.

GOOD FRIDAY, called also HOLY FRIDAY; is the day which from the earliest period in the Christian Church has ever been kept in solemn awful remembrance of the Crucifixion of our blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

EASTER SUNDAY.—The day on which the Lord Christ rose triumphant from the grave; and since then ever kept throughout all Christendom as a *Great Day*, a *Feast of Feasts;* and a *Sunday of Joy*. In secular transactions it is the most important of all the moveable feasts, as the day on which it falls regulates all the rest.

ROGATION SUNDAY,—the fifth Sunday after Easter, takes its name from the Latin word *rogare*, to beseech; the early Christians having appointed extraordinary prayers and supplications on the Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday succeeding it.

HOLY THURSDAY OR ASCENSION DAY, is the day on which the Church celebrates the Ascension of our Lord into heaven.

WHIT SUNDAY, OR PENTECOST.—This day is held by the Christian Church as a solemn festival, in commemoration of the descent of the Holy Ghost upon the Apostles on the day of Pentecost. On this day in early times converts to Christianity were most usually admitted to the Church by Baptism; they were baptised clothed in white; hence it became termed *White* Sunday, from which in later times was derived the term Whit Sunday.

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TRINITY SUNDAY.—This is the Sunday following Whit Sunday; and on this day, the Christian Church more particularly calls to mind the doctrine of the Holy Trinity.

ADVENT SUNDAY;—commences the season set apart by the Church as preparatory to the festival of Christmas. On this season we are not only called upon to contemplate the inestimable blessings conferred on mankind by the coming of our Lord to "take away the sin of the world," but also to prepare for that second coming, when He will appear to "judge the world in righteousness."

CHRISTMAS DAY, or THE FESTIVAL OF THE NATIVITY,—commemorates the birth of our blessed Saviour—GOD manifest in the flesh—"to whom be glory and majesty dominion and power, both now and ever. AMEN."

Principal Native Festivals.

SINGHALESE.

1.—AWURUDU-MANGALLE, the feast of the New Year, April 11.

2.—The day of anointing the head with oil after the New Year. This day is fixed by the Astrologer, and is generally celebrated a few days after the New Year.

3.—Full moon day of the month *Wesak* (April—May.) The ordination of Budhist Priests at the Establishments of Kandy and other places generally takes place on this day; as well as pilgrimages to the Budhist Temples at Kalany and other sacred places in the Island.

4.—PERAHARRA, or *the Procession*, formerly celebrated exclusively in honor of the Indian deities Natha, Vishnu, Kotagram, and Pattini; but incorporated with the worship of Budha in the year 1775. It is held in Kandy and sundry other places in Udunuwera, Yatinuwera, Harispattoo Udupalata, Hewahetta, Matale, Four Korles, Saffragam, Ouvah and Seven Korles; commencing usually from the New and lasting to the Full moon in the month of July.

5.—KAARTKA-MANGALLE, the *Festival of Lamps*, celebrated in honor of Maha-Bali. the great mythological hero of India, and consisting of a general illumination for one night. This is a Kandyan Festival, and is not observed in the Maritime Provinces.

6.—ALOOTSAAL MANGALLE, the *Festival of New Rice*. This is also a Kandyan Festival, celebrated in the month of January.

7.—Pious Budhists also regard the Full, New, and First and Last Quarters of the Moon as holidays, and in general devote them to religious and devotional purposes.

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Weights and Measures.

1. MEASURE OF LENGTH.

12	Inches	=	1 Foot
3	Feet	=	1 Yard
5½	Yards	=	1 Rod or Pole
40	Poles	=	1 Furlong
8	Furlongs	=	1 Mile
69 1-9	Miles	=	1 Degree of a Great Circle of the Earth.

An inch is the smallest lineal measure to which a name is given, but subdivisions are used for many purposes. Among mechanics the inch is commonly divided into *eighths.* By the officers of the revenue, and by scientific persons, it is divided into *tenths, hundredths,* &c. Formerly it was made to consist of 12 parts called *lines.*

Particular Measures of Length.

A Nail	= 2¼	Inches	} Used for measuring cloth of all kinds.
Quarter	= 4	Nails	
Yard	= 4	Quarters	
Ell	= 5	Quarters	
Palm	= 3	Inches	
Hand	= 4	Inches—Used for height of horses.	
Span	= 9	Inches	
Cubit	= 1	Foot 6 Inches	
Military Pace	= 2	Feet 6 Inches	
Geometrical Pace	= 5	Feet	
Fathom	= 6	Feet—Used in measuring depths.	
Link	= 7	Inches 92 hdths.	} Used in Land Measure to facilitate computation of the content, 10 square chains being equal to an acre.
Chain	= 100	Links	
Mile	= 80	Chains	

2. MEASURE OF SURFACE.

				144	sq. Inches	=	1 sq. Foot
1296	sq. Inches	=		9	sq. Feet	=	1 sq. Yard
272¼	sq. Feet	=		30¼	sq. Yards	=	1 Perch or Rod.
4356	sq. Feet	=		16	Perches	=	1 sq. Chain
10890	sq. Feet	=		2½	sq. Chains	=	1 Rood
43560	sq. Feet	=		4	Roods	=	1 Acre
3097600	sq. Yards	=		640	Acres	=	1 Mile

Particular Superficial Measures.

Square of flooring, &c.	=	100 sq. Feet
Rod of Brick-work	=	272·25 sq. Feet
Load of Inch boards	=	600 sq. Feet
Yard of Land	=	30 Acres
Hide of do.	=	100 Acres

In some places it is customary to allow 324 Sq. Feet to a Rod; sometimes a Rod = 21 Feet long and 3 Feet high = 63 Sq. Feet.

3. NAUTICAL MEASURES.

6082·66	Feet	= 1	Nautical Mile
3	Miles	= 1	League
20	Leagues	= 1	Degree
360	Degrees	=	The circumference of the Earth.

A Degree of the Meridian in the latitude of England at the medium of 52° was found by Colonel Mudge in 1800, to equal 69·114 English Miles. A sea league is therefore 3·4557 English miles in the same latitude.

4. MEASURES OF SOLIDITY AND CAPACITY.

Division 1.—Solidity.

1728	Cubic Inches	= 1	Cubic Foot
27	Cubic Feet	= 1	Cubic Yard
10648000	Cubic Yards	= 1	Cubic Rod Pole or Perch
64000	Cubic Rods	= 1	Cubic Furlong
512	Cubic Furlongs	= 1	Cubic Mile

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Particular Cubic Measures.

A Load of rough Timber	=	40	Cubic feet.
Load of Squared Timber	=	60	do.
Ton of Shipping	=	40	do.
Barrel bulk	=	5	do.
Floor of earth	=	324	do.

A Cord of wood=8 ft. long 4 ft. broad, and 4 ft. deep, 128 cubic feet; a stack of wood 12 ft. long, 3 ft. broad, and 3 ft. deep=108 cubic feet; a solid yard of earth=1 load. A cubic foot of water weighs 1000 ounces avoirdupois, or 911 oz. 9 dwts. 4 grs., troy.

DIVISION II.—CAPACITY.

4 Gills	= 1 Pint	=	$34\frac{3}{4}$	—cub. ins., nearly.
2 Pints	= 1 Quart	=	$69\frac{1}{2}$	———————
4 Qts.	= 1 Gallon	=	$277\frac{1}{4}$	———————
2 Gall.	= 1 Peck	=	$554\frac{1}{2}$	———————
8 Gall.	= 1 Bushel	=	$2218\frac{1}{2}$	———————
8 Bush.	= 1 Quarter	=	$10\frac{1}{4}$	cub. feet nearly.
5 Qrs.	= 1 Load	=	$51\frac{1}{2}$	———————

The four last denominations are used for dry goods only. For liquids several denominations have been heretofore adopted, viz:—For Beer the Firkin of 9 Gallons, the Kilderkin of 18, the Barrel of 36, the Hogshead of 54, and the Butt of 108 Gallons. These will probably continue to be used in practice. For Wine and Spirits, there are the Anker, 10, Runlet, 18, Barrel, $31\frac{1}{2}$, Tierce, 42, Hogshead, 63, Puncheon, 84, Pipe or Butt, 126, and Tun, 252 Gallons; but these may be considered rather as the names of the casks in which such commodities are imported, than as expressing any definite number of Gallons: a Pipe of Claret containing 126; Port, 138; Sherry, 130; Lisbon, 140; Bucellas, 140; Madeira, 110; and Vidonia, 120 Gallons. It is the practice to gauge all such vessels and to charge them according to their actual contents.

Flour is sold nominally by measure, but actually by weight, reckoned at 7lbs. Avoirdupois to a Gallon.

A load of corn=5 bushels; a cart load of corn=40 bushels, and 7922 wheat or barley-corns are supposed to fill a pint measure.

5. MEASURE OF WEIGHT.

DIVISION I.—AVOIRDUPOIS WEIGHT.

$27\frac{11}{32}$ Grains	= 1 Dram	=	$27\frac{11}{32}$ gr. Troy.
16 Drams	= 1 Ounce	=	$437\frac{1}{2}$ —
16 Ounces	= 1 Pound (lb.)	=	7000
28 Pounds	= 1 Quarter (qr.)		
4 Quarters	= 1 Hundredweight (cwt.)		
20 Cwt.	= 1 Ton.		

This weight is used in almost all commercial transactions, and in the common dealings of life.

The particular weights belonging to this Division are as follows:—

			cwt.	qr.	lb.	
7 Pounds	= 1 Clove					
2 Cloves	= 1 Stone	=	0	0	14	
2 Stones	= 1 Tod	=	0	1	0	
$6\frac{1}{2}$ Tods	= 1 Wey	=	1	2	14	Used in the Wool Trade.
2 Weys	= 1 Sack	=	3	1	0	
12 Sacks	= 1 Last	=	39	0	0	

Several sorts of Silk are weighed by the Great Pound of 24 oz.

Particular Weights.

A Firkin of Butter	=	56 lb.
„ ——— Soap	=	64 „
„ Barrel of Raisins	=	112 „
„ ——— Soap	=	256 „
Puncheon of Prunes	=	1120 „
Barrel of Anchovies	=	30 „
Fodder of Lead		
„ London and Hull	=	$19\frac{1}{2}$ cwt.
„ Stockton	=	22 „
„ Bawtry	=	$21\frac{1}{2}$ „
„ Chester	=	20 „
„ Derby	=	$22\frac{1}{2}$ „
„ Newcastle	=	21 „

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The cwt. of Lead at Hull and Chester	=	120 lbs.
Stone of Iron or shot	=	14 „
—— Butcher's meat in London	=	8 „
—— —— —— —— in Country	=	14 „
Clove of Butter or Cheese	=	8 „
Suffolk way, 32 Cloves	=	256 „
Essex way, 42 Cloves	=	336 „
Imperial Gallon of Train oil	=	9 „
Truss of Straw	=	36 „
—— New hay	=	60 to 64
—— Old hay	=	56 „
Load	=	36 trusses.

Division II.—Troy Weight.

24 Grains	=	1 Pennyweight	=	24 gr.
20 Pennywts.	=	1 Ounce	=	480 —
12 Ounces	=	1 Pound	=	5760 —

These are the denominations of Troy weight, when used for weighing gold, silver, and precious stones (except diamonds.)

For scientific purposes the grain only is used; and sets of weights are constructed in decimal progressions from 10,000 grains downwards to 1-100 of a grain.

By comparing the number of grains in the Avoirdupois and Troy pound and ounce respectively, it appears that the Troy pound is less than the Avoirdupois in the proportion of 14 to 17 nearly; but the Troy ounce is greater than the Avoirdupois, in the proportion of 72 to 79 nearly.

The *carat* used for weighing diamonds, is 3 1-6 grains. The term, however, when used to express the fineness of gold, has a relative meaning only. Every mass of alloyed gold is supposed to be divided into 24 equal parts; thus the standard for coin is 22 carats fine, that is, it consists of 22 parts of pure gold, and 2 parts of alloy. What is called the *new standard*, used for watch-cases, &c., is 18 carats fine.

Division III.—Apothecaries Weight.

20 Grains	=	1 Scruple	=	20 gr.
3 Scruples	=	1 Dram	=	60 —
8 Drams	=	1 Ounce	=	480 —
12 Ounces	=	1 Pound	=	5760 —

6. FLUID MEASURE *used by Apothecaries.*

2 Drams Avoird.	=	60 Minims	=	54 11-16 grs. Troy
60 Minims	=	1 Fluid dram		
8 Drams	=	1 Ounce	=	437½ „
20 Ounces	=	1 Pint	=	8750 „
8 Pints	=	1 Gallon	=	70000 „

Irregular Measures.

A table spoonful, *cochlearium magnum*, of syrup, ½ oz.
—— —— of distilled waters, 3½ dr. to ½ oz.
—— —— of spirits and tinctures, 2 dr. to 3 dr.
A dessert-spoonful *cochlearium mediocre*, of water, 2 dr.
A tea-spoonful, *cochlearium parvum*, of syrup, 1 dr. to 2 dr.
—— —— of distilled waters, 1½ sc. to 2 sc.
—— —— of spirits and tinctures, 1 sc. to 1½ sc.
—— —— of light powder, as magnesia, ½ sc. to 1 sc.
—— —— of a heavy powder, as sulphur, 1½ sc. to 2 sc.
—— —— of a metallic oxide, 1 dr. to 4 sc.
A thimble-full, *clypeola metallica prodigiti*, is usually the same as a tea-spoonful.
A tea-cup, *vasculum pro thea*, 3 oz. to 4 oz.
A wine-glass, *scyphus pro vino*, *cyathus*, 1½ oz.

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7. ANGULAR MEASURE;

OR, DIVISIONS OF THE CIRCLE.

60 Seconds	=	1 Minute	=	4 Seconds of Diurnal motion of the Earth reduced to time.
60 Minutes	=	1 Degree	=	4 Minutes
15 Degrees	=	½ Sign of the Zodiac	=	1 Hour
30 Degrees	=	1 Sign	=	2 Hours
90 Degrees	=	1 Quadrant	=	6 Hours
360 Degrees, or 12 Signs	=	1 Circumference	=	24 Hours.

Formerly, the subdivisions were carried on by sixties; thus the second was divided into 60 thirds, the third into 60 fourths, &c. At present the second is more generally divided decimally into 10ths, 100ths, &c. The degree is frequently so divided.

The Zodiac is an imaginary belt encompassing the heavens, divided into 12 equal parts of 30 degrees each, called the Signs of the Zodiac. It extends about eight degrees on each side of the Ecliptic, and within it all the motions of the Planets are performed, except those of the new discovered asteroids Ceres and Pallas, etc.

Signs of the Zodiac, and the Days on which the Sun enters them.

NORTHERN CONSTELLATION.

♈ Aries	the Ram	Appears in a line with the Sun.	March	20
♉ Taurus	the Bull		April	19
♊ Gemini	the Twins		May	21
♋ Cancer	the Crab		June	21–22
♌ Leo	the Lion		July	23
♍ Virgo	the Virgin		August	23

SOUTHERN CONSTELLATION.

♎ Libra	the Balance	Appears in a line with the Sun.	September	23
♏ Scorpio	the Scorpion		October	23
♐ Sagittarius	the Archer		November	22
♑ Capricornus	the Goat		December	22
♒ Aquarius	the Waterbearer		January	19
♓ Pisces	the Fishes		February	18

8. MEASURE OF TIME.

60 Seconds	=	1	Minute
60 Minutes	=	1	Hour
24 Hours	=	1	Day
7 Days	=	1	Week
28 Days	=	1	Lunar Month
28, 29, 30, or 31 Days	=	1	Calendar Month.
12 Calendar Months	=	1	Year
365 Days	=	1	Common Year
365¼ Days	=	1	Julian Year
366 Days	=	1	Leap Year

In 400 Years, 97 are Leap years, and 303 Common.

The same remark as in the case of Angular measure applies to the mode of subdividing the Second of time.

THE NATIVE DRY MEASURE.

Cut	Chundoos.						
4	=	1	Cut Measure or Seer.				
19⅓	=	4⅘	=	1	Coornie.		
48	=	12	=	2½	=	1	Marcal.
96	=	24	=	5	=	2	= 1 Parrah.
768	=	192	=	40	=	16	= 8 = 1 Ammunam.
7200	=	1800	=	375	=	150	= 75 = 9⅜ = 1 Last.

The English Bushel is equal to 34 Seers or 1 Parrah and 10 Seers.

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THE NATIVE LAND MEASURE.

Lahas
8 = 1 Coornie.
80 =10 =1 Peyla.
320 =40 =4 = 1 Ammonam.

Among the Natives the extent of Land is defined by the quantity of Seed required to sow it, computed at the Ammonam Measure, and its sub-divisions. In fertile Lands the Seed is not strewed half so thickly as in poor soil; an Ammonam of good ground therefore will sometimes measure twice as many square feet as an Ammonam of poor soil.

BRITISH INDIA.—GOVERNMENT WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

1 tola= 180 troy grains; 80 tolas = 1 seer, 2¼ lbs. troy; 40 seers = 1 maund=83 2-15th lbs. avoir. (or 100 lbs. troy.) Grain is usually sold by weight throughout India.

Calcutta.—The guz = 1 imp. yard; The Bengal common coss or mile = 2000 yards; 30¼ biggan = 10 imp. acres; the factory maund of 40 seers = 74¾ lbs. avoir. the bazaar maund =82 2-15th lbs. avoirdupois.

Madras.—The covid in cloth measure = 18 3-5ths inches; but the English yard of 36 inches is generally used; the cawny in land measure = 57,600 square feet, or about 1 acre, 11 roods and 1½ poles; the garze of 80 parahs or 400 marcals in corn or dry measure = about 16⅔ imp. quarters or by weight 9256½lbs. avoir.; 20 ollocks = 1 English Gallon; the maund of 8 vis, in measures of weight = 25 lbs. avoir.; the candy = 20 maunds or 500 lbs. avoirdupois.

In Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay, accounts are kept in rupees, annas and pice, thus 12 pice = 1 anna; 16 annas = 1 rupee; 3½ rupees exchange in account for 1 pagoda. In Ceylon accounts are kept in English currency; English weights are in use here, and the long and land measures are the same as in England; the covid is 18½ English inches.

Bombay.—The guz. = 27 inches; the maund of 40 seers = 28 lbs. avoir.; the candy of 20 maunds, each of 40 seers = 5 cwt., reckoned for grain at 24¼ imp. bushels; the Surat candy of 20 maunds =740¾ avoirdupois.

China.—Measures of Weight....100 catties = 1 pecul = 133⅓ lbs. avoir.; 16 peculs and 80 chatties = 1 ton; 3 peculs = 400 lbs. avoir.; ¾ catty = 1 lb.; 3 catties = 4lbs. 84 catties = 1 cwt.; 12 taels = 1 lb. avoir. Cloth Measure....32 covids = 13 imp. yards. Itinerary Measure....Li, 180 fathoms =632 yards; 200 lis = 1 degree.

The Chinese have four different measures answering to the foot; viz.,—

The foot of the mathematical tribunal, English inches.	13·125
The builder's foot, called konghee	12·7
The tailor's and tradesman's foot	13·33
The foot used by engineers	12·66

United States.—Same as Britain, with former English measures of capacity: a barrel of flour weighs 196lbs. nett; a barrel of pickled beef or pork 200lbs.

WEIGHTS OF ENGLISH COINS.

Gold	dwt.	gr.
Sovereign	5	3¼
Half Sovereign	2	13⅛
Double Sovereign	10	6½
Silver.		
Crown	18	4 4-11
Half Crown	9	2 2-11
Shilling	3	15 3-11
Sixpence.	1	19 7-11
Fourpence	1	5 1-11

CEYLON RIXDOLLAR CURRENCY.

Challies
3..... 1 Pice
12..... 4 ..... 1 Fanam
144..... 48 .....12 ..... 1 Rix Dollar = 1*s.* 6*d.*

The following Coins are also current in Ceylon.

The Company's Rupee at 2*s.*
The Spanish and American Dollar at 4*s.* 2*d.*

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A Table for finding the Interest of any Sum of Money, at any Rate of Interest, for any Number of Days.

No.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*	*No.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*	*No.*	*d.*	*q.*
1,000.000	2739	14	6	0·99	3000	8	4	4	2·41	5	3	1·15
900,000	2465	15	0	3·29	2000	5	9	7	0·27	4	2	2·52
800,000	2191	15	7	1·59	1000	2	14	9	2·14	3	1	3·89
700.000	1917	16	1	3·89	900	2	9	3	3·12	2	0	1·26
600,000	1643	16	8	2·19	800	2	3	10	0·11	1	0	2·63
500,000	1369	17	3	0·49	700	1	18	4	1·10	0·9	0	2·37
400 000	1095	17	9	2·79	600	1	12	10	2·08	0·8	0	2·10
300 000	821	18	4	1·10	500	1	7	4	3·07	0·7	0	1·84
200.000	547	18	10	3·40	400	1	1	11	0·05	0·6	0	1·58
100,000	273	19	5	1·70	300	0	16	5	1·04	0·5	0	1·32
90,000	246	11	6	0·33	200	0	10	11	2·03	0·4	0	1·05
80,000	219	3	6	2 96	100	0	5	5	3·01	0·3	0	0·79
70,000	191	15	7	1·59	90	0	4	11	0·71	0·2	0	0·53
60,000	164	7	8	0 22	80	0	4	4	2·41	0·1	0	0·26
50.000	136	19	8	2·85	70	0	3	10	0·11	0 09	0	0·24
40,000	109	11	9	1·48	60	0	3	3	1·81	0·08	0	0·21
30 000	82	3	10	0·11	50	0	2	8	3·51	0·07	0	0·18
20,000	54	15	10	2·74	40	0	2	2	1·21	0·06	0	0·11
10,000	27	7	11	1·37	30	0	1	7	2 90	0 05	0	0·08
9,000	24	13	1	3·23	20	0	1	1	0·60	0·04	0	0·16
8,000	21	18	4	1·10	10	0	0	6	2·30	0 03	0	0 13
7,000	19	3	6	2·96	9	0	0	5	3 67	0 02	0	0·05
6,000	16	8	9	0 82	8	0	0	5	1·04	0 01	0	0·03
5,000	13	13	11	2·68	7	0	0	4	2·41			
4,000	10	19	2	0·55	6	0	0	3	3 78			

RULE—Multiply the principal by the rate, both in pounds; multiply the product by the number of days, and divide this last product by 100; then take from the above table the several sums which stand opposite the several parts of the quotient, and add them together for the interest required.

EXAMPLE—What is the interest of 225*l.* 10*s.* for 23 days at 4½ per cent.

			l.	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*
principal	225·5*l.*					
rate	4·5	against 200 is	0.	10.	11.	2.03
	1014·75	30	0.	1.	7.	2·90
days	23	3	0.	0.	1.	3.89
100)23339·25		0·3	0.	0.	0.	0·79
	233·3925	0·09	0.	0.	0.	0·24
		Ans.=	0.	12.	9.	1·85 true

Then in the table

in the last place of decimals.

To find what the amount of a yearly income or salary (from 1l. to 1,000,000l.) will come to for one day.

RULE—Collect the tabular sums answering to the given annual income or rent, and add them together for the answer.

An estate of 376*l.* per annum; what is that per day?

300 =	0.	16.	5¼	·04
70 =	0.	3.	10	·11
6 =	0.	0.	3¾	·78
376 =	1.	0.	7	·53

Ans. 1*l.* 0*s.* 7*d.*

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TABLE TO CALCULATE WAGES AND OTHER PAYMENTS.

Y.	Pr. M.	Pr. Week.	Pr. D.	Y.	Pr. M.	Pr. Week.	Pr. D.
£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
1	0 1 8	0 0 4¾	0 0¾	16	1 6 8	0 6 1¾	0 10½
2	0 3 4	0 0 9¼	0 1¼	17	1 8 4	0 6 6¼	0 11¼
3	0 5 0	0 1 1¾	0 2	18	1 10 0	0 6 10¾	0 11¾
4	0 6 8	0 1 6½	0 2¾	19	1 11 8	0 7 3½	1 0½
5	0 8 4	0 1 11	0 3¼	20	1 13 4	0 7 8	1 1¼
6	0 10 0	0 2 3½	0 4	30	2 10 0	0 11 6	1 7¾
7	0 11 8	0 2 8¼	0 4½	40	3 6 8	0 15 4	2 2¼
8	0 13 4	0 3 0½	0 5¼	50	4 3 4	0 19 2	2 9
9	0 15 0	0 3 5½	0 6	60	5 0 0	1 3 0¼	3 3¼
10	0 16 8	0 3 10	0 6½	70	5 16 8	1 6 10¼	3 10
11	0 18 4	0 4 2¾	0 7¼	80	6 13 4	1 10 8¼	4 4½
12	1 0 0	0 4 7¼	0 8	90	7 10 0	1 14 6¼	4 11½
13	1 1 8	0 4 11¾	0 8½	100	8 6 8	1 18 4½	5 5¾
14	1 3 4	0 5 4¼	0 9¼	200	16 13 4	3 16 9	10 11½
15	1 5 0	0 5 9	0 10				

If the Wages be Guineas instead of Pounds, for each Guinea add one Penny to each Month, or one Farthing to each Week.

TABLE OF DISCOUNT PER CENT.

2½	per	cent	is	0	6	in a £	12½	per	cent	is	2	6	in a £
3	.	.	.	0	7¼		15	.	.	.	3	0	
3½	.	.	.	0	8½		17½	.	.	.	3	6	
4	.	.	.	0	9½		20	.	.	.	4	0	
4½	.	.	.	0	10¾		22½	.	.	.	4	6	
5	.	.	.	1	0		25	.	.	.	5	0	
5½	.	.	.	1	1¼		27½	.	.	.	5	6	
6	.	.	.	1	2½		30	.	.	.	6	0	
6½	.	.	.	1	3½		32½	.	.	.	6	6	
7	.	.	.	1	5		35	.	.	.	7	0	
7½	.	.	.	1	6		37½	.	.	.	7	6	
8	.	.	.	1	7		40	.	.	.	8	0	
8½	.	.	.	1	8½		42½	.	.	.	8	6	
9	.	.	.	1	9½		45	.	.	.	9	0	
9½	.	.	.	1	10¾		47½	.	.	.	9	6	
10	.	.	.	2	0		50	.	.	.	10	0	

Table for the Number of Days from any Day in one Month to the same Day in another.

Remember that in Leap Year another day is to be added to February.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
January	365	31	59	90	120	151	181	212	243	273	304	334
February	334	365	28	59	89	120	150	181	212	242	273	303
March.....	306	337	365	31	61	92	122	153	184	214	245	275
April	275	306	334	365	30	61	91	122	153	183	214	244
May	245	276	304	335	365	31	61	92	123	153	184	214
June	214	245	273	303	334	365	30	61	92	122	153	183
July	184	215	243	274	304	335	365	31	62	92	123	153
August	153	184	212	243	273	304	334	365	31	61	92	122
September	122	153	181	212	242	273	303	334	365	30	61	91
October	92	123	151	182	212	243	273	304	335	365	31	61
November	61	92	120	151	181	212	242	273	304	334	365	30
December	31	62	90	121	151	182	212	243	274	304	335	365

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Equivalent Prices to common Weights and Numbers.

Per Ton of 2240 lbs			Cwt. or 112 lbs.			Qr. or 28 lbs.			Stone or 14 lbs.		lb. or 1.	Doz. or 12.		Score or 20.			per 100.			per 120.			Gross or 144.			per 1000.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d	£	s.	d.
2	6	8	0	2	4	0	0	7	0	3½	¼	0	3	0	5	0	2	1	0	2	6	0	3	0	1	0	10
3	10	0	0	3	6	0	0	10½	0	5¼	⅜	0	4½	0	7½	0	3	1½	0	3	9	0	4	6	1	11	3
4	13	4	0	4	8	0	1	2	0	7	½	0	6	0	10	0	4	2	0	5	0	0	6	0	2	1	8
5	16	8	0	5	10	0	1	5½	0	8¾	⅝	0	7½	1	0½	0	5	2½	0	6	3	0	7	6	2	12	1
7	0	0	0	7	0	0	1	9	0	10½	¾	0	9	1	3	0	6	3	0	7	6	0	9	0	3	2	6
8	3	4	0	8	2	0	2	0½	1	0¼	⅞	0	10½	1	5½	0	7	3½	0	8	9	0	10	6	3	12	11
9	6	8	0	9	4	0	2	4	1	2	1	1	0	1	8	0	8	4	0	10	0	0	12	0	4	3	4
10	10	0	0	10	6	0	2	7½	1	3⅜	1⅛	1	1½	1	10½	0	9	4½	0	11	3	0	13	6	4	13	9
11	13	4	0	11	8	0	2	11	1	5¼	1¼	1	3	2	1	0	10	5	0	12	6	0	15	0	5	4	2
12	16	8	0	12	10	0	3	2½	1	7⅛	1⅜	1	4½	2	3½	0	11	5½	0	13	9	0	16	6	5	14	7
14	0	0	0	14	0	0	3	6	1	9	1½	1	6	2	6	0	12	6	0	15	0	0	18	0	6	5	0
15	3	4	0	15	2	0	3	9½	1	10⅜	1⅝	1	7½	2	8½	0	13	6½	0	16	3	0	19	6	6	15	5
16	6	8	0	16	4	0	4	1	2	0⅝	1¾	1	9	2	11	0	14	7	0	17	6	1	1	0	7	5	10
17	10	0	0	17	6	0	4	4½	2	2¼	1⅞	1	10½	3	1½	0	15	7½	0	18	9	1	2	6	7	16	3
18	13	4	0	18	8	0	4	8	2	4	2	2	0	3	4	0	16	8	1	0	0	1	4	0	8	6	8
19	16	8	0	19	10	0	4	11½	2	5⅜	2⅛	2	1½	3	6½	0	17	8½	1	1	3	1	5	6	8	17	1
21	0	0	1	1	0	0	5	3	2	7½	2¼	2	3	3	9	0	18	9	1	2	6	1	7	0	9	7	6
22	3	4	1	2	2	0	5	6½	2	9¼	2⅜	2	4½	3	11½	0	19	9½	1	3	9	1	8	6	9	17	11
23	6	8	1	3	4	0	5	10	2	11	2½	2	6	4	2	1	0	10	1	5	0	1	10	0	10	8	4
24	10	0	1	4	6	0	6	1½	3	0⅜	2⅝	2	7½	4	4½	1	1	10½	1	6	3	1	11	6	10	18	9
25	13	4	1	5	8	0	6	5	3	2¼	2¾	2	9	4	7	1	2	11	1	7	6	1	13	0	11	9	2
26	16	8	1	6	10	0	6	8½	3	4⅛	2⅞	2	10½	4	9½	1	3	11½	1	8	9	1	14	6	11	19	7
28	0	0	1	8	0	0	7	0	3	6	3	3	0	5	0	1	5	0	1	10	0	1	16	0	12	10	0
29	3	4	1	9	2	0	7	3½	3	7⅜	3⅛	3	1½	5	2½	1	6	0½	1	11	3	1	17	6	13	0	5
30	6	8	1	10	4	0	7	7	3	9¼	3⅜	3	3	5	5	1	7	1	1	12	6	1	19	0	13	10	10
31	10	0	1	11	6	0	7	10½	3	11¼	3⅝	3	4½	5	7½	1	8	1½	1	13	9	2	0	6	14	1	3
32	13	4	1	12	8	0	8	2	4	1	3½	3	6	5	10	1	9	2	1	15	0	2	2	0	14	11	8
33	16	8	1	13	4	0	8	5½	4	2¾	3⅞	3	7½	6	0½	1	10	2½	1	16	3	2	3	6	15	2	1
35	0	0	1	15	0	0	8	9	4	4½	3¾	3	9	6	3	1	11	3	1	17	6	2	5	0	15	12	6
36	3	4	1	16	2	0	9	0½	4	6¼	3⅞	3	10½	6	5½	1	12	3½	1	18	9	2	6	6	16	2	11
37	6	8	1	17	4	0	9	4	4	8	4	4	0	6	8	1	13	4	2	0	0	2	8	0	16	13	4
38	10	0	1	18	6	0	9	7½	4	9¾	4⅛	4	1½	6	10½	1	14	4½	2	1	3	2	9	6	17	3	9
39	13	4	1	19	8	0	9	11	4	11⅛	4¼	4	3	7	1	1	15	5	2	2	6	2	11	0	17	14	2
40	16	8	2	0	10	0	10	2½	5	1¼	4⅜	4	4½	7	3½	1	16	5½	2	3	9	2	12	6	18	4	7
42	0	0	2	2	0	0	10	6	5	3	4½	4	6	7	6	1	17	6	2	5	0	2	14	0	18	15	0
43	3	4	2	3	2	0	10	9½	5	4⅜	4⅝	4	7½	7	8½	1	18	6½	2	6	3	2	15	6	19	5	5
44	6	8	2	4	4	0	11	1	5	6⅞	4¾	4	9	7	11	1	19	7	2	7	6	2	17	0	19	15	10
45	10	0	2	5	6	0	11	4½	5	8¼	4⅞	4	10½	8	1½	2	0	7½	2	8	9	2	18	6	20	6	3
46	13	4	2	6	8	0	11	8	5	10	5	5	0	8	4	2	1	8	2	10	0	3	0	0	20	16	8
49	0	0	2	9	0	0	12	3	6	1½	5¼	5	3	8	9	2	3	9	2	12	6	3	3	0	21	17	6
51	6	8	2	11	4	0	12	10	6	5	5½	5	6	9	2	2	5	10	2	15	0	3	6	0	22	18	4
53	13	4	2	13	8	0	13	5	6	8½	5¾	5	9	9	7	2	7	11	2	17	6	3	9	0	23	19	2
56	0	0	2	16	0	0	14	0	7	0	6	6	0	10	0	2	10	0	3	0	0	3	12	0	25	0	0
58	6	8	2	18	4	0	14	7	7	3½	6¼	6	3	10	5	2	12	1	3	2	6	3	15	0	26	0	10
60	13	4	3	0	8	0	15	2	7	7	6½	6	6	10	10	2	14	2	3	5	0	3	18	0	27	1	8
63	0	0	3	3	0	0	15	9	7	10½	6¾	6	9	11	3	2	16	3	3	7	6	4	1	0	28	2	6
65	6	8	3	5	4	0	16	4	8	2	7	7	0	11	8	2	18	4	3	10	0	4	4	0	29	3	4
67	13	4	3	7	8	0	16	11	8	5½	7¼	7	3	12	1	3	0	5	3	12	6	4	7	0	30	4	2
70	0	0	3	10	0	0	17	6	8	9	7½	7	6	12	6	3	2	6	3	15	0	4	10	0	31	5	0
72	6	8	3	12	4	0	18	1	9	0½	7¾	7	9	12	11	3	4	7	3	17	6	4	13	0	32	5	10
74	13	4	3	14	8	0	18	8	9	4	8	8	0	13	4	3	6	8	4	0	0	4	16	0	33	6	8
77	0	0	3	17	0	0	19	3	9	7½	8¼	8	3	13	9	3	8	9	4	2	6	4	19	0	34	7	6
79	6	8	3	19	4	0	19	10	9	11	8½	8	6	14	2	3	10	10	4	5	0	5	2	0	35	8	4
81	13	4	4	1	8	1	0	5	10	2½	8¾	8	9	14	7	3	12	11	4	7	6	5	5	0	36	9	2
84	0	0	4	4	0	1	1	0	10	6	9	9	0	15	0	3	15	0	4	10	0	5	8	0	37	10	0
86	6	8	4	6	4	1	1	7	10	9½	9¼	9	3	15	5	3	17	1	4	12	6	5	11	0	38	10	10
88	13	4	4	8	8	1	2	2	11	1	9½	9	6	15	10	3	19	2	4	15	0	5	14	0	39	11	8
91	0	0	4	11	0	1	2	9	11	4½	9¾	9	9	16	3	4	1	3	4	17	6	5	17	0	40	12	6
93	6	8	4	13	4	1	3	4	11	8	10	10	0	16	8	4	3	4	5	0	0	6	0	0	41	13	4
95	13	4	4	15	8	1	3	11	11	11½	10¼	10	3	17	1	4	5	5	5	2	6	6	3	0	42	14	2
98	0	0	4	18	0	1	4	6	12	3	10½	10	6	17	6	4	7	6	5	5	0	6	6	0	43	15	0
100	6	8	5	0	4	1	5	1	12	6½	10¾	10	9	17	11	4	9	7	5	7	6	6	9	0	44	15	10
102	13	4	5	2	8	1	5	8	12	10	11	11	0	18	4	4	11	8	5	10	0	6	12	0	45	16	8
105	0	0	5	5	0	1	6	3	13	1½	11¼	11	3	18	9	4	13	9	5	12	6	6	15	0	46	17	6
107	6	8	5	7	4	1	6	10	13	5	11½	11	6	19	2	4	15	10	5	15	0	6	18	0	47	18	4
109	13	4	5	9	8	1	7	5	13	8½	11¾	11	9	19	7	4	17	11	5	17	6	7	1	0	48	19	2
112	0	0	5	12	0	1	8	0	14	0	12	12	0	20	0	5	0	0	6	0	0	7	4	0	50	0	0

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LIST of the NAMES of STREETS, &c., in the Gravets of Colombo with the number of Houses in each Street.

[*In the following list the Streets, &c., are all labelled, and the houses numbered, with the exception of those to which an Asterisk (*) is prefixed.*]

Colpetty	225
SLAVE ISLAND.	
Road to Colpetty	76
Mess House Street	72
Church Street	155
Malay Street	96
Glenie Street, Ingham Street, Jawa Street, Jawa Lane	54
FORT.	
Queen Street	32
Baillie Street	22
Hospital Street	29
Galle Street	3
Prince Street	19
York Street	18
Chatham Street	49
Canal Row	9
Prospect Row	1
*Wharf	17
*Battemburg Bastion	3
PETTAH.	
Bankshall Street	90
Main Street	53
Keyzer Street	58
Prince Street	61
Maliban Street	106
1st Fishers Lane	14
2nd do. do.	28
Mitcho's Lane	26
Norris Road	25
Front Street	21
1st Cross Street	44
2nd do.	63
3rd do.	34
4th do.	95
Cafferman's lane	8
Semerah lane	11
Merit lane	12
Market Street	36
China Street	42
Coffee Street	42
Small Street	12
Kayman's Gate	31
St. John's Road	42
Gabo's lane	36
Sea Street	171
*Sea Shore Road	16
*St. John's Patch	4
Cotchykade Street	64
*Korteboom Street	31
* do. Patch	6
*Tanque Salgado	53
*Fisher's Hill	106
*Modere Street	143
Mutwal Street	132
*Modere Patch	88
Dam Street	130
New Moor Street	151
Old Moor Street	124
Mosque lane	27
Coorowe Street	15
*Hulfsdorp Street (partly numbered)	99
Massenger Street	81
Grandpass Street	170
St. Joseph Street	147
Nacklegam Street	162
De Waas Street	55
Armour Street	42
*Mededowa	61
*Oroogoddewatte	51
*Madampittia	110
*Vuystwyk Street	143
*Mattocooly	180
*Cotanchina	253
Stone quarry Street	21
Shoemaker Street	43
Lascoreen Street	18
Jampettah Street	72
Gentoopetty Street	39
Green Street	83
Van Royen Street	15
New Chitty Street	83
Hill Street	56
Chekkoo Street	112
Brassfounders Street	68
Wolfendahl Street	89
Barber Street	83
Silver Smith Street 1st Division	84
* do. 2nd do.	30
St. Sebastian Street	46
*Cramer's lane	100
*Washers' quarters	115
* do. do. (new road)	83
*Lock Gate Patch	
*1st Division Marandahn Street	76
*1st do. do. 1st south lane	26
*1st do. do. 2nd do.	29
*2nd do. do. 1st do.	49
*2nd do. do. 2nd do.	45
*2nd do. do.	101
*3rd do. do.	163
*4th do. do.	118
*Marandahn Cinnamon Garden	86
*Demetegodde	193
*Maligawatte	63
NEW BAZAAR.	
Belmont Street	100
Wilson Street	141
Ferry Street	169
Smith Street	27
Oilman Street	25
School Street	6
Cross Street	14

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LIST of the NAMES of STREETS in the Town and Gravets of Kandy with the Number of Houses in each Street.

Peradenia Road	199	Bogambere	10
Palace Square	11	Colombo Road	26
Pavilion Street	13	Katukelle Street	18
Allutwadea	11	Malabar Street	23
Wewellepitia	4	Bowillecade	9
Road to Asgire Vihare	6	Hill Street	53
King Street	84	Cross Street	47
Colombo Street	232	Kondesale Road	53
Trincomalie Street	325	Wykonte Wedea	9
Brownrigg Street	77	Lower Lake Road	19
Castle Street	91	Upper Lake Road	39
Katugastotte Road	65	Tunnel Road	4
Udewatte Kelle	6	Road to Grave Yard	5

LIST of the NAMES of STREETS in the Pettah of Jaffna, with the Number of Houses in each Street.

First Cross Street	12	Main Road from First to the Fifth Cross Street	29
Second Cross Street.	25	St. Paul's Street from First to the Fifth Cross Street	30
Third Cross Street	16	Road from the Wesleyan Mission House by Tarakolem from First to the Fifth Cross Street	6
Fourth Cross Street.	21		
Fifth Cross Street	55		
Circular Road by the Sea Shore from First to the Fifth Cross Street	13	Total—	242
Banksal Street from First to the Fifth Cross Street	35		

The number of houses in the Gravets of Jaffna, according to the last return, was 4108. The area of the Town (i. e. Pettah) and Gravets, is seventeen square miles.

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VARIATIONS OF TEMPERATURE CORRESPONDING TO ALTITUDE.

As we ascend, the air becomes thin or rare, and as it becomes rare it also grows cold. No fact is better established than this, though, the rate of this cooling of the air as we ascend in it does not appear to be uniform, but to vary in different countries and even in the same country at different seasons. Were we to go by local data we might calculate it thus. The annual temperature of Colombo is probably about 80° 5; that of Kandy is about 74° 5; and that of Nuwera Ellia at an elevation of 6,210 ft: is about 59°; giving a fall of one degree for every 280 ft: in the former case, and for every 295 ft. in the latter; results which accord very well with observations made elsewhere, and particularly with those which may be deduced from the other sanataria of India.

ELEVATION above the Level of the Sea of the following Stations in the Island of Ceylon, determined from simultaneous Observations with the Mountain Barometer.

Names of Places.	*Elevation in English Feet.*
The Rest House at Situake	75
The Rest House at Ruanwelle	85
The Rest House at Ambepusse	211
The Rest House at Kitulgalle	224
The Bungalow of the Botanical Gardens, Peradenia	1,594
The Rest House at Kaduganawe	1,705
The highest point of the Road over the Guine-get-heina Pass	2,164
Mr. Norris' Bungalow at Ambegamowe	2,145
Highest Point of the road to Harangalle per Pasbage	3,678
Bambregaha, Mr. Kelson's new Bungalow	4,002
Rest House at Nuwera Ellia	6,222
Wilson's Bungalow	4,107
Dehiwena, Mr. Layard's Bungalow	4,110
Badulla, the Assistant Government Agent's House	2,240

HEIGHTS OF SOME OF THE PRINCIPAL MOUNTAINS, &c.

Upper Lake in Kandy	1,678
Mattan Pattanna, the hill above it	3,192
Oorragalle, the rocky ridge of Hantanne to the Southward of the Town	4,380
Hoonnasagiria Peak	4,990
"The Knuckles" a part of the same chain	6,180
Highest point in the road leading through the Kaddooganawa Pass	1,731
Adam's Peak	7,420
Kammoonnakoolle near Baddoolla	6,740
Amboolluawa near Gampolla	3,540
Pedrotallagalla, close to the Rest House of Nuwera Ellia	8,280
Diatalawe near Hangoorankette	5,030
Alloogalle near Amoonapoorre	3,440
Plain of Nuwera Ellia	6,210
Plain of Wilmanie	6,990
Totapella	7,720
Kurrigalpotta	7,810

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Native Titles.

SINGHALESE TITLES OF COURTESY AND RANK.

රලහාමි.....	Ralahamy.....	Esqr. used as a formal title of Superior Headmen and their equals.
රදල නොහොත් මහත්මයා	Radala or Mahatmia	Gentleman.
නිලමේ.....	Nillema	Officer.
බඩාර.....	Bandar	A Nobleman or Royalist.
අප්පුහාමි	Appoohamy	Son of a Gentleman or Esqr.
රල.....	Rala	Yeoman.
අප්පු.....	Appoo	Son of a Yeoman.
නයිදේ.....	Naida	One below the rank of Appoo.

මහමුදියන්සේ.....	Maha Modliar	Colonel
වාසලමුදියන්සේ.....	Modliar of the Gate.	Captain and A. D. C.
මුදියන්සේ.....	Modliar	Captain
මුහන්දිරම	Mohandiram.....	Lieut.
ආරච්චිල.....	Aratchy	Sergeant.
කන්කානම	Cangan	Corporal.
ලස්කීන්.....	Lascoreen	Soldier.

KANDIAN TITLES.

මහනිලමේ නොහොත් අදිකාරම	Maha Nillima or Adigar.	Prime Minister.
දිසාව.....	Dissawe	Governor of a Province.
රටේමහත්මයා.....	Ratamahatmia	Chief of a smaller Province.
කෝරල.....	Corale.....	Headman of a Corle.
විදනේ.....	Vidhane.....	Bailiff
ලේකම.....	Lecam.....	Clerk
මොහොට්ටාල	Mohattale.....	Secretary.
අතුකෝරල.....	Attu Corale	Sub-Corale.

TITLES OF FEMALES.

කුමාරිහාමි	Kumarihamy*	Wife of an Adigar.
ලමාඇතනා.....	Lama Ettena	Lady.
මහතෙක්ක	Mahatlyo	Madam.
හාමිනේ.....	Hamine	Miss or Mrs., fem: of Appohy.
මැණිකා	Manika	Fem: of Bandar.
ඇතනා.....	Ettana	Fem: of Rale.
ලමහමි	Lamahamy	Dame.
හාමි.....	Hamy	Same as Ettana.
නාච්චිරේ	Natchire	Fem: of Naida.

* Hamy is added as an honorable termination to names of both males and females of Higher Castes.

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Native Sovereigns of Ceylon.

Names, and relationship of each succeeding Sovereign.	*Capital.*	*Accession.*	*Reign.*
1 Wejaya, Founder of the Wejayan dynasty ..	Tamananowera ..	B. C. 543	38Y. 0M. 0D.
2 Oopatissa 1st, Minister—regent..	Oopatissanowera ..	505	1 0 0
3 Panduwaasa, Paternal nephew of Wejaya ..	ditto ..	504	30 0 0
Raama	*Raamagoona* ..		
Roohoona....	*Roohoona* ..		
Diggaina .... *Brothers-in-law.* ..	*Diggaamadulla* ..		
Oorawelli.... ..	*Mahawelligama* ..		
Anooraadha..	*Anooraadhapoora*..		
Wejitta.....	*Wejittapoora* ..		
4 Abhaya, Son of Panduwaasa, dethroned ..	Oopatissanowera ..	474	20 0 0
Interregnum	.. .. ..	454	17 0 0
5 Pandukaabhaya, Matern. Grandson of Panduwaasa	Anooraadhapoora ..	437	70 0 0
6 Mootaseewa, Paternal grandson	ditto ..	367	60 0 0
7 Devenipeatissa, Second son .. .	ditto ..	307	40 0 0
Mahanaaga, Brother	*Maagama* ..		
Yataalatissa, Son	*Kellania* ..		
Gotaabhaya, Son	*Maagama* ..		
Kellani-tissa, not specified..	*Kellania* ..		
Kaawan-tissa, Son of Gotaabhaya	*Maagama* ..		
8 Oottiya, fourth Son of Mootaseewa .. .	Anooraadhapoora ..	267	10 0 0
9 Maha-seewa, fifth do.	ditto ..	257	10 0 0
10 Suratissa, sixth do. put to death ..	ditto ..	247	10 0 0
11 Sena and Goottika, foreign usurpers—put to death	ditto ..	237	22 0 0
12 Asela, ninth Son of Mootaseewa—deposed .. .	ditto ..	215	10 0 0
13 Elaala, foreign usurper—killed in battle ..	ditto ..	205	44 0 0
14 Dootoogaimoonoo, Son of *Kaawantissa* ..	ditto ..	161	24 0 0
15 Saidaitissa, Brother	ditto ..	137	18 0 0
16 Toohl or Thullathanaka, younger Son—deposed ..	ditto ..	119	0 1 10
17 Laiminitissa 1st or Lajjetissa, elder Brother ..	ditto ..	119	9 8 0
18 Kaloonna or Khallaata-naaga, Brother—put to death	ditto ..	109	6 0 0
19 Walagambahoo 1st or Wattagaamini, Brother—deposed	ditto ..	104	0 5 0
Pulahattha ..	ditto ..	103	3 0 0
Baayiha .. 14.7—Foreign usurpers	ditto ..	100	2 0 0
20 Panaymaaraa —successively deposed	ditto ..	98	7 0 0
Peliyamaaraa and put to death.	ditto ..	91	0 7 0
Daathiya ..	ditto ..	90	2 0 0
21 Walagambahoo 1st, reconquered the kingdom ..	ditto ..	88	12 5 0
22 Mahaidailitissa or Mahachoola, Son	ditto ..	76	14 0 0
23 Choora Naaga, Son—put to death	ditto ..	62	12 0 0
24 Kooda Tissa, Son—poisoned by his wife	ditto ..	50	3 0 0
25 Anoola, Widow	ditto ..	47	5 4 0
26 Makalantissa or Kallakanni Tessa, second Son of Koodatissa	ditto .	41	22 0 0
27 Baatiyatissa 1st or Baatikaabhaya, Son ..	ditto ..	19	28 0 0
28 Maha Dailiya Maana or Daathika, Brother ..	ditto ..	A. D. 9	12 0 0
29 Addagaimoono or Aamanda Gaamini, Son—put to death	ditto ..	21	9 8 0
30 Kinihirridaila or Kanijaani Tissa, Brother ..	ditto ..	30	3 0 0
31 Kooda Abhaa or Choolaabhaya, Son	ditto .	33	1 0 0
32 Singhawallee or Seewalli, Sister—put to death ..	ditto ..	34	0 4 0
Interregnum	.. .. ..	35	3 0 0
33 Elloona or Ila Naaga, Maternal nephew of Addagaimoonoo..	ditto ..	38	6 0 0
34 Sanda Moohoona or Chauda Mukha Seewa, Son ..	ditto ..	44	8 7 0
35 Yasa Siloo or Yataalakatissa, Brother—put to death	ditto .	52	7 8 0
36 Subha, Usurper—put to death .. .	ditto ..	60	6 0 0
37 Wahapp or Wasahba, descendant of Laiminitissa..	ditto ..	66	44 0 0
38 Waknais or Wanka Naasika, Son	ditto ..	110	3 0 0
39 Gajaabahoo 1st or Gaaminee, Son	ditto ..	113	12 0 0
40 Mahaloomaana or Mallaka Naaga, Maternal cousin	ditto .	125	6 0 0

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			Y.	M.	D.
41 Baatiya Tissa 2d or Bhaatika Tissa, Son ..	Anooraadhapoora ..	A. D. 131	24	0	0
42 Choola Tissa or Kanitthatissa, Brother ..	ditto ..	155	18	0	0
43 Koohoona or Choodda Naaga, Son—murdered	ditto ..	173	10	0	0
44 Koodanaama or Kooda Naaga, Nephew—deposed	ditto ..	183	1	0	0
45 Kooda Sirinaa or Siri Naaga 1st, Brother-in-law ..	ditto ..	184	19	0	0
46 Waiwahairatissa or Wairatissa, Son—murdered ..	ditto ..	209	22	0	0
47 Abha Sen or Abha Tissa, Brother	ditto ..	231	8	0	0
48 Siri Naga 2d, Son	ditto ..	239	2	0	0
49 Weja Indoo or Wejaya 2d, Son—put to death ..	ditto ..	241	1	0	0
50 Sangatissa 1st, descendant of Laiminitissa—poisoned	ditto ..	242	4	0	0
51 Dahama Sirisanga Bo or Sirisanga Bodhi 1st, Do. do.—deposed	ditto ..	246	2	0	0
52 Gooloo Abbaa, Gothaabhaya or Meghawarna Abhaya, Do. do..	ditto ..	248	13	0	0
53 Makalan Detoo Tissa 1st, Son	ditto ..	261	10	0	0
54 Maha Sen, Brother	ditto ..	275	27	0	0
55 KitsiriMaiwan 1st orKeertissree Megha warna,Son	ditto ..	302	28	0	0
56 Detoo Tissa 2d, Brother	ditto ..	330	9	0	0
57 Bujas or Budha Daasa, Son	ditto ..	339	29	0	0
58 Oopatisaa 2d, Son	ditto ..	368	42	0	0
59 Maha Naama, Brother	ditto ..	410	22	0	0
60 Senghot or Sotthi Sena, Son—poisoned ..	ditto ..	432	0	0	1
61 Laimini Tissa 2d or Chatagaabaka, descendant of Laiminitissa	ditto ..	432	1	0	0
62 Mitta Sena or Karalsora, not specified—put to death	ditto .	433	1	0	0
63 Paandu, Paarinda Kooda.., Khudda Paarinda, Daatthiya .., Pitthiya .. } 24. 9.—Foreign usurpers ..	ditto ..	434	5	0	0
	ditto ..	439	16	0	0
	ditto ..	455	0	2	0
	ditto ..	455	3	0	0
	ditto ..	458	0	7	0
64 Daasenkelleya or Dhaatu Sena, descendant of the original royal family—put to death	ditto ..	459	18	0	0
65 Seegiri Kasoomboo or Kaasyapa 1st, Son—committed suicide	Seegiri Galla Nowera	477	18	0	0
66 Moogallaana 1st, Brother	Anooraadhapoora ..	495	18	0	0
67 Koomaara Daas or Koomaara Dhaatu Sena,—Son—immolated himself	ditto ..	513	9	0	0
68 Kirti Sena, Son—murdered	ditto ..	522	9	0	0
69 Maidee Seewoo or Seewaka, maternal Uncle—murdered	ditto ..	531	0	0	25
70 Laimini Oopatissa 3d, Brother-in-law	ditto ..	531	1	6	0
71 Ambaherra Salamaiwan or Silaakaala, Son-in-law	ditto ..	534	13	0	0
72 Daapuloo 1st or Daatthaapa Bhodhi, second Son—committed suicide	ditto ..	547	0	6	6
73 Dalamagalan or Moogallaana 2d, elder Brother ..	ditto ..	547	20	0	0
74 Kuda Kitsiri Maiwan 1st or Keertisree Megha warna, Son—put to death	ditto ..	567	19	0	0
75 Senewee or Maha Naaga, descendant of the Okaaka branch	ditto ..	586	3	0	0
76 Aggrabodhi 1st or Akbo, maternal Nephew ..	ditto ..	589	34	2	0
77 Aggrabodhi 2d or Soola Akbo, Son-in-law ..	ditto ..	623	10	0	0
78 Sanghatissa, Brother—decapitated	ditto ..	633	0	2	0
79 Boona Moogalan or Laimini Bonaaya, Usurper—put to death	ditto ..	633	6	0	0
80 Abhaseggaaheka or Asiggaaheka, maternal Grandson	ditto ..	639	9	0	0
81 Siri Sangabo 2d, Son—deposed	ditto ..	648	0	6	0
82 Kaloona Detootissa or Laimina Katooreya, Descendant of Laiminitissa—committed suicide ..	Dewonooweara or [Dondera	648	0	5	0
Siri Sangabo 2d, restored, and again deposed ..	Anooraadhapoora ..	649	16	0	0
83 Dalooperissa 1st or Dhatthopatissa, Laimini branch—killed in battle	ditto ..	665	12	0	0

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			Y. M. D.
84 Paisooloo Kasoombo or Kaasaypa 2d, Brother of Sirisangabo	Anooraadhapoora	A. D. 677	9 0 0
85 Dapuloo 2d, Okaaka branch—deposed	ditto	686	7 0 0
86 Daloopeatissa 2d or Hattha-Datthopatissa, Son of Daloopeatissa 1st	ditto	693	9 0 0
87 Paisooloo Siri Sanga Bo 3d or Aggrabodhi, Brother	ditto	702	16 0 0
88 Walpitti Wasidata or Dantanaama, Okaaka branch	ditto	718	2 0 0
89 Hoonoonaru Riandala or Hatthadatha, original royal family—decapitated	ditto	720	0 6 0
90 Mahalaipaanoo or Maanawamma, do. do. do.	ditto	720	6 0 0
91 Kaasiyappa 3d or Kasoombo, Son	ditto	726	3 0 0
92 Aggrabodhi 3d or Akbo, Nephew	ditto	729	40 0 0
93 Aggrabodhi 4th or Kuda Akbo, Son	Pollonnaroowa	769	6 0 0
94 Mihindoo 1st or Salamaiwan, original royal family	ditto	775	20 0 0
95 Dappoola 2d, Son	ditto	795	5 0 0
96 Mihindoo 2d or Dharmika-Seelaamaiga, Son	ditto	800	4 0 0
97 Aggrabodhi 5th or Akbo, Brother	ditto	804	11 0 0
98 Dappoola 3d or Kuda Dappoola, Son	ditto	815	16 0 0
99 Aggrabodhi 6th, Cousin	ditto	831	3 0 0
100 Mitwella Sen or Selaamaiga, Son	ditto	838	20 0 0
101 Kaasiyappa 4th or Maaganyin Sena or Mihindoo, Grandson	ditto	858	33 0 0
102 Udaya 1st, Brother	ditto	891	35 0 0
103 Udaya 2d, Son	ditto	926	11 0 0
104 Kaasiyappa 5th, Nephew and Son-in-law	ditto	937	17 0 0
105 Kaasiyappa 6th, Son-in law	ditto	954	10 0 0
106 Dappoola 4th, Son	ditto	964	0 7 0
107 Dappoola 5th, not specified	ditto	964	10 0 0
108 Udaya 3d, Brother	ditto	974	3 0 0
109 Sena 2d, not specified	ditto	977	9 0 0
110 Udaya 4th, do. do.	ditto	986	8 0 0
111 Sena 3d, do. do.	ditto	994	3 0 0
112 Mihindoo 3d, do. do.	ditto	997	16 0 0
113 Sena 4th, Son—minor	ditto	1013	10 0 0
114 Mihindoo 4th, Brother—carried captive to India—during the Soleean conquest	Anooraadhapoora	1023	36 0 0
Interregnum Soleean vice-royalty	Pollonnaroowa	1059	12 0 0
Maha Lai or Maha Laala Keerti Wikreme Paandi — *Subordinate native kings during the Soleean vice-royalty.*	*Rookoona*		
JagatPaandi or Jagati Paalie — *Subordinate native kings during the Soleean vice-royalty.*	*Kalutotta*		
Prakrama Paandi or Prakama Bahoo — *Subordinate native kings during the Soleean vice-royalty.*	*Rookoona*		
Lokaiswera — *Subordinate native kings during the Soleean vice-royalty.*	*ditto*		
	Kaacharagama		
115 Wejayabahoo 1st or Sirisangabo 4th, Grandson of Mihindoo 4th	Pollonnaroowa	1071	55 0 0
116 Jayabahoo 1st, Brother	ditto	1126	1 0 0
117 Wikramabahoo 1st — A disputed succession.	ditto	1127	20 0 0
Maanaabarana — A disputed succession.	*Rookoona*		
118 Gajaabahoo 2d — A disputed succession.	Pollonnaroowa		
Siriwallaba or Kitsiri Maiwan — A disputed succession.	*Rookoona*		
119 Prakrama Bahoo 1st, Son of Maanaabarana	Pollonnaroowa	1153	33 0 0
120 Wijayabahoo 2d, Nephew—murdered	ditto	1186	1 0 0
121 Mihindo 5th or KitsenKisdaas, Usurper—put to death	ditto	1187	0 0 5
122 Kirti Nissanga, a prince of Kaalinga	ditto	1187	9 0 0
Weerabahoo, Son—put to death	ditto	1196	0 0 1
123 Wikramabahoo 2d, Brother of Kirti Nissanga—put to death	ditto	1196	0 3 0
124 Chondakanga, Nephew—deposed	ditto	1196	0 9 0
125 Leelawatee, Widow of Prakramabahoo—deposed	ditto	1197	3 0 0
126 Saahasamallawa, Okaaka branch—deposed	ditto	1200	2 0 0
127 Kalyaanawati, Sister of Kirti Nissanga	ditto	1202	6 0 0
128 Dharmaasooka, not specified—a minor	ditto	1208	1 0 0

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129 Nayaanga or Neekanga, Minister, put to death ..	Pollonnaroowa ..	A. D. 1209	0Y. 0M. 17D
Leelawatee, restored, and again deposed ..	ditto ..	1209	1 0 0
130 Lokaiswera 1st, Usurper—deposed	ditto ..	1210	0 9 0
Leelawatee, again restored and deposed a third time	ditto ..	1211	0 7 0
131 Pandi Prakrama Bahoo 2d, Usurper—deposed ..	ditto ..	1211	3 0 0
132 Maagha, foreign Usurper	ditto ..	1214	21 0 0
133 Wejayabahoo 3d, descendant of Sirisangabo 1st ..	Dambadeniya ..	1235	24 0 0
134 Kalikaala Sahitya Sargwajnya or Paandita Prakrama Bahoo 3d, Son	ditto ..	1266	35 0 0
135 Bosat Wejaya Bahoo 4th, Son	Pollonnaroowa ..	1301	2 0 0
Bhuwaneka Bahoo	*Yapahoo or Subhapa-*		
136 Bhuwaneka Bahoo 1st, Brother	ditto [*batoo*	1303	11 0 0
137 Prakrama Bahoo 3d, Son of Bosat Wejayabahoo..	Pollonnaroowa ..	1314	5 0 0
138 Bhuwaneka Bahoo 2d, Son of Bhuwanekabahoo ..	Kurunaigalla or Hastisailapoora..	1319	not stated
139 Pandita Prakrama Bahoo 4th, not specified ..	ditto ..		do.
140 Wanny Bhuwaneka Bahoo 3d, do. ..	ditto ..		do.
141 Wejaya Bahoo 5th, do. ..	ditto ..		do.
142 Bhuwaneka Baboo 4th, do. ..	Gampola or Gangaa siripoora ..	1347	14 0 0
143 Prakrama Bahoo 5th, do. ..	ditto ..	1361	10 0 0
144 Wikrambahoo 3d, Cousin..	Partly at Kandy or SengadagallaNowera	1371	7 0 0
145 Bhuwaneka Bahoo 5th, not specified	Gampola or Gangaa-siripoora ..	1378	20 0 0
146 Wejaya Bahoo 5th or Weera Bahoo, do. ..	ditto ..	1398	12 0 0
147 Sree Praakrama Bahoo 6th do. ..	Kotta orJayawarda-napoora ..	1410	52 0 0
148 Jayaabahoo 2d, maternal Grandson—put to death .	ditto ..	1462	2 0 0
149 Bhuwaneka Bahoo 6th, not specified	ditto ..	1464	7 0 0
150 Pandita Praakrama Bahoo 7th, adopted Son ..	ditto ..	1471	14 0 0
151 Weera Praakrama Baboo 8th, Brother of Bhuwanekabahoo 6th	ditto ..	1485	20 0 0
152 Dharma Praakrama Bahoo 9th, Son	ditto ..	1505	22 0 0
153 Wejaya Bahoo 7th, Brother—murdered ..	ditto ..	1527	7 0 0
Jayaweera Bandara	*Gampola*		
154 Bhuwaneka Bahoo 7th, Son	Kotta ..	1534	8 0 0
Maayaadunnai	*Seetaawaka*		
Raygam Bandara	*Raygam*		
Jayaweera Bandara	*Kandy*		
155 Don Juan Dharmapaala	Kotta ..	1542	39 0 0
A Malabar	*Yapahoo*		
Portuguese	*Colombo*		
Weediya Raja	*Pailainda Nowera*		
Raajasingha	*Aiwissawelle*		
Idirimaaney Suriya	*Seven Korles*		
Wikrama Bahoo, Descendant of Sirisangabo 1st ..	*Kandy*		
156 Raajasingha 1st, Son of *Maayaadunnai* ..	Seetaawaka	1581	11 0 0
Jaya Suriya	*Seetaawaka*		
Weediye Raja's queen	*ditto*		
157 Wimala Dharma, original royal family ..	Kandy ..	1592	12 0 0
158 Senaaratena or Senarat, Brother	ditto ..	1604	31 0 0
159 Raaja-singha 2d, Son	ditto ..	1635	50 0 0
Koomara-singa, Brother	*Ouvah*		
Wijaya Paala, Brother	*Matelle*		
160 Wimala Dharma Suriya 2d, Son of Raaja-singa ..	Kandy ..	1685	22 0 0
161 Sreeweera Prakrama Narendrasingha or Koondasaala, Son	ditto ..	1707	32 0 0
162 Sreewejaya Raajasingha or Hanguranketta, Brother-in-law	ditto ..	1739	8 0 0
163 Kirtisree Raajasingha, Brother-in-law.. ..	ditto ..	1747	34 0 0
164 Raajaadhi Raajasingha, Brother	ditto ..	1781	17 0 0
165 Sree Wickrema Raajasingha, Son of the late king's wife's sister, deposed by the English, and died in captivity	ditto ..	1798	16 0 0

[N.B.—*The names printed in the above tables in Italics, are those of subordinate or contemporary princes.*

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Captains-General and Governors of Ceylon.

Whilst in possession of the Portuguese.

Pedro Lopez de Souza,
Jerome de Azevedo,
François de Menezes,
Manuel Mascarenhas Homen,
Nanha Alvares Pereira,
Constantin de Say Noranha,
George d'Albuque,
Constantin de Say Noranha,
D. George d' Almeida,
Diego de Melho,
Antoine Mascarenhas,
Philippe Mascarenhas,
Manuel Mascarenhas Homen,
François de Mello Castro,
Antoine de Sousa Continho. *under whose administration Colombo was surrendered to the Dutch.*
A. D. Merely Menezes, *last Captain General in command of Jaffna and Manar.*

Governors of Ceylon.

WITH THE DATES WHEN THEIR ADMINISTRATION COMMENCED.

Whilst in possession of the Dutch.

Willem Jacobezen Coster, Commander at the surrender of Galle	13th March	1640.
Jan Thuysz, President and Governor at Galle	21st Aug.	1640
Joan Matsoyker. Ordinary Councillor and Governor at Galle..	24th May	1640.
Jacob Van Kittenstein, Governor at Galle	25th Feb.	1650.
Adrian Van Der Meyden, Governor at Galle	11th Oct.	1653.
Adrian Van Der Meyden. Governor at Colombo	12th May	1656.
Ryklof Van Goens, Governor—Administration commenced ..	12th May	1663.
Jacob Hustar. Extraordinary Councillor of India and Governor..	27th Dec.	1663.
Ryklof Van Goens, administered the Government from ..	19th Nov.	1664.
Lourens Van Peil. Commander, President Governor, and Extraordinary Councillor of India	3d Dec.	1680.
Thomas Van Rhee, Governor and Extraordinary Councillor of India	10th Jan.	1693.
Paulus de Rhoo, appointed Governor and Director of Ceylon..	29th Jan.	1695.
Gerrit De Heer, Governor	22d Feb.	1697.
The Members of Council	26th Nov.	1702.
Mr. Cornelis Johannes Simonsz. Governor..	11th May	1703.
Hendrick Becker, Governor and Extraordinary Councillor ..	22d Dec.	1707.
Mr. Isaack Augustin Rumph, Governor and Extraordinary Councillor of India	7th Dec.	1716.
Arnold Moll. Commander at Galle	11th June	1723.
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Do. do. Cayts
Do. do. Mulletivo.
Do. do. Negombo.
Do. do. Gampolla.
Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Avishawelle.
Do. do. Madawellatenne and Kurnegalle.
Assistant Auditor General
Asst. Govt. Agent, Commr. of Requests, and Police Magistrate of Nuwera Ellia.
Landing and Tide Surveyor at Galle.

Fifth Class.

Commissioner of Loan Board.
Assistants to the Civil Engineer and Commr. of Roads.
Assistants to the Surveyor General.
Sub-Collector and Landing Surveyor at Trincomalie.

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LIST of all the CIVIL SERVANTS of the COLONY of CEYLON, shewing the date of their Appointment to the Service, their present salaries, and the appointments held by each in succession.

[*Note.*—By Minute of 9th June 1853, Officers of the Customs Department then incorporated into the Civil Service of this Colony, reckon their rank from the date at which they were first appointed to the Public Service.]

AMBALAWANAM, S., Esq., £375. . . *21st June*, 1845

Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kayts . Jan. 1, 1845

ATHERTON, E. N., Esq., £425. . . *25th Oct.* 1852

(Half salary as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Mulletivoe £150—Do. as Acting Assistant Government Agent, Acting Commissioner of Requests, and Acting Police Magistrate of Kaigalle £275.)

Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Putlam	Feb. 1, 1852
Writer attached to the Government Agent's Office Putlam .	Oct. 25, 1852
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Mulletivoe . . .	Jan. 1, 1853
Appointment confirmed	Feb. 15, 1854
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Acting Commr. of Requests, and Acting Police Magistrate of Kaigalle . .	Aug. 16, 1854

ATHERTON, Robert, Esq., £950. . *4th Nov.* 1832

(Half salary as Assistant Government Agent at Batticaloa £350—Do. as Acting Government Agent, Acting Fiscal, and Acting Collector of Customs for the Eastern Province, £600.)

Superintendent of the Island of Delft . . .	Dec. 5, 1825
Assistant Collector of Customs Jaffna . . .	Jan. 1, 1834
Assistant to the Government Agent for the Eastern Province at Trincomalie	Nov. 1, 1835
Assistant to the Government Agent for the Northern Province at Jaffna	March 1, 1836
Acting Assistant to the Government Agent for the Eastern Province and District Judge at Batticaloa . .	Feb. 1, 1839
Appointment confirmed	July 14, 1839
Assistant to the Govt. Agent Eastern Province at Batticaloa .	Sept. 16, 1845
Acting District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate at Batticaloa*	Feb. 18, 1850
Acting Government, Acting Fiscal, and Acting Collector of Customs for the Eastern Province. . . .	Sept. 1, 1854

* The Offices of Assistant Government Agent, District Judge, Commissioner of the Court of Requests and Police Magistrate at Batticaloa have been consolidated from the 1st December, 1852.

BAILEY, J., Esq., £300. . . . *1st May*, 1846

(Half salary as Assistant Surveyor £100—Do. as acting Deputy Fiscal, Colombo, £200.)

Assistant Surveyor	May 1, 1846
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . .	May 13, 1851
Resumed his duties on return from England . .	Nov. 24, 1852
Acting Deputy Fiscal for the Western Province . .	April 1, 1853

BAILEY, J., Esq., £625. . . . *1st Jan.* 1848

(Half salary as Asst. Govt. Agent at Kandy £200—Do. as Actg. Asst. Agent, &c. at Badulla £425.)

Writer attached to the Government Agent's Office at Colombo.	Jan. 1, 1848
Do. do. at Jaffna	June 1, 1848
Do. do. at Putlam	Oct. 1, 1848

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Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Calpentyn . . . . . March 1, 1850
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate at Nuwera Ellia . . . Feb. 1, 1852
Assistant Government Agent at Kandy . . . . Jan. 1, 1853
Acting Assistant Govt. Agent, acting Commissioner of Requests, and acting Police Magistrate of Matelle . . March 1, 1853
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Acting District Judge, Acting Commr. of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Badulla March 1, 1854

BARTON, W., Esq., £525. . . . *1st Oct.* 1845

(Half salary as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Negombo £150.—Do. as Acting Assistant Government Agent, Acting District Judge, Acting Commr. of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Ratnapoora £375.)

Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Matura . Oct. 1, 1844
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Matura. . . April 20, 1847
Resumed duties as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Matura . . . . . May 29, 1847
Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Negombo Sept. 1, 1847
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Acting Commissioner of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Kaigalle . June 14, 1854
Acting Asst. Govt. Agent, Acting District Judge, Acting Commr. of Requests, and Acting Police Magistrate of Ratnapoora . Aug. 16, 1854

BIRCH, J. W., Esq., £350. *15th Nov.* 1852

(Half salary as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Mallagam £150.—Do. as Acting Assistant Government Agent at Trincomalie £200.)

Writer attached to the Government Agent's Office, Jaffna. . Nov. 15, 1852
Acting Commissioner of Requests and acting Police Magistrate of Mallagam . . . . . Jan. 1, 1853
Appointment confirmed . . . . Feb. 15, 1854
Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Chavagacherry . . . . . Feb. 15, 1854
Acting Assistant Government Agent of Trincomalie . . Aug. 1, 1854

BRAYBROOKE, C. H. S., Esq., £400. . . *July* 3, 1854

Assistant Surveyor . . . . . July 3, 1854

BRAYBROOKE, P. W., Esq., £1,175. *24th Aug.* 1841

(Half salary as Assistant Government Agent, District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Badulla £425.— Do. as Acting Auditor General £750.)

Extra Assistant to the Government Agent Western Province . July 14, 1842
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Hambantotte, Acting District Judge of ditto . . . . Jan. 27, 1843
Appointment confirmed . . . . Nov. 1, 1843
Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate Hambantotte . . . Jan. 1, 1845
Acting Assistant Government Agent and District Judge &c. at Nuwerakalawiya . . . . July 1, 1849
Appointment confirmed . . . . Jan. 11, 1850
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Kurnegalle . . Jan. 1, 1851
Acting Assistant Government Agent, District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Badulla . July 1, 1851
Appointment confirmed . . . . Nov. 1, 1852
Acting Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary, and Clerk to the Councils. . . . . Feb. 16, 1854
Acting Auditor General . . . . Jan. 18, 1855

BRODIE, A. O., Esq., *(half salary)* £150. *15th Sept.* 1851

Acting Assistant Government Agent, District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate at Nuwerakalawiya . May 1, 1850

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Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate at Point Pedro.	Dec. 4, 1852
Acting do. do. of Madawalatenne . .	Feb. 15, 1853
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Kandy . .	March 1, 1853
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . .	Aug. 16, 1853

BULLER, Charles Reginald, Esq., *(half salary)* £750. — *9th May*, 1825

Extra Assistant Chief Secretary's Office . . .	Nov. 19, 1825
Assistant to the Revenue Commissioner Kandy . .	July 1, 1826
Assistant to the Commissioner of Revenue . .	April 1, 1827
Fiscal and Sitting Magistrate Jaffna . . .	May 1, 1828
Agent of Government at Kurnegalle . . .	June 1, 1831
Sitting Magistrate of Colombo . . .	April 1, 1832
Assistant to the Government Agent Western Province and District Judge of Colombo No. 2 Negombo . .	Oct. 1, 1833
District Judge of Colombo No. 1 South . .	Dec. 1, 1837
Acting Government Agent for the Western Province and one of the Commissioners of the Treasury . .	Feb. 1, 1839
District Judge of Colombo No. 1, South, to continue to act for Mr. Gisborne as Government Agent for the Western Province.	Nov. 1, 1839
Government Agent for the Western Province* . .	July 1, 1840
Acting Government Agent and Fiscal for the Central Province.	March 25, 1843
Government Agent and Fiscal for the Central Province .	Nov. 1, 1843
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . .	Feb. 16, 1854

* Up to 9th February 1841, the date of his departure to England on leave of absence.

BURROWS, E. H., Esq., *(half salary)* £200. — *30th June*, 1846

Writer attached to the Colonial Secretary's Office . .	Oct. 30, 1846
Do. do. to the Office of the Government Agent at Kandy .	Feb. 1, 1847
Acting Assistant Agent at Trincomalie . . .	Aug. 20, 1847
Assistant Government Agent at Colombo . . .	April 19, 1849
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . . .	May 1, 1853

BYRNE, Henry, Esq., £400. — *30th Nov.* 1844

Assistant Civil Engineer and Surveyor . . .	Feb. 20, 1842
Proceeded on leave to England	Feb. 26, 1848
Resumed Office on return from England . . .	July 29, 1849
Assistant Civil Engineer, Commissioner of Roads and Surveyor .	Jan. 1, 1851
Assistant Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads .	Dec. 1, 1853

CALEY, J. A., Esq., £300. . . — *30th June*, 1846

Acting Assistant Commissioner of Roads . . .	Mar. 11, 1846
Assistant Commissioner of Roads . . .	June 1, 1846
Assistant Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads . .	Jan. 1, 1851
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . . .	Feb. 15, 1853
Resumed duties on return from England . . .	Jan. 1, 1855

CASIE CHITTY, Simon, Esq., £650. . — *21st June*, 1845

Police Magistrate of Calpentyn	July 27, 1844
Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Calpentyn	Jan. 1, 1845
Acting District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Chilaw	Sept. 1, 1847
Resumed office of Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Calpentyn	Oct. 1, 1849
Acting District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Chilaw	Mar. 1, 1850
Appointment confirmed	Dec. 4, 1852
On leave	Feb. 6, 1854
Resumed duties as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Chilaw	May 8, 1854

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CAULFEILD, Hon'ble James, Esq., £1250. *12th Oct.* 1832

(Half salary as Govt. Agent, Putlam, £500—Do. as acting Treasurer £750.)

Assistant in the Cinnamon Department.	March 1, 1823
Fiscal of Colombo	Jan. 1, 1832
Assistant to the Government Agent for the Southern Province at Galle	Dec. 1, 1833
Assistant to the Government Agent for the Southern Province and District Judge at Hambantotte*	April 1, 1834
Resumed the Office on return from England	Nov. 7, 1837
Acting Assistant to the Government Agent for the Western Province and District Judge of Chilaw and Putlam	Dec. 1, 1838
Assistant to the Government Agent for the Western Province and District Judge of Chilaw and Putlam	Feb. 1, 1841
District Judge of Manaar and Nuwerakalawiya	May 1, 1843
Assistant to the Government Agent for the Northern Province and District Judge of Manaar	Jan. 1, 1845
Government Agent for the North Western Province	Oct. 1, 1845
Acting Treasurer	Jan. 1, 1850
Acting Auditor General	Oct. 18, 1850
Resumed duties as Acting Treasurer	Nov. 27, 1850
Resumed duties as Government Agent for the North Western Province	July 1, 1851
Acting Treasurer	Feb. 15, 1853

* Up to 5th January 1836, the date of his departure for England on leave of absence.

CLARKE, W. H., Esq., L.L.D., £450. *1st Dec.* 1846

(Half salary as Commissioner of Requests, &c., Bentotte, £150.—Do. as Acting District Judge Commissioner &c. at Kurnegalle £300.)

Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Bentotte	Dec. 1, 1846
Acting District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kurnegalle	Jan. 1, 1853
Resumed duties as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Bentotte	Jan. 21, 1854
Acting District Judge, Acting Commissioner of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Kurnegalle.	April 1, 1854

DALZIEL, John, Esq., £650. *21st June,* 1845

Superintendent of Police, Colombo	Oct. 1, 1839
Police Magistrate of Colombo	July 27, 1844
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	April 19, 1848
Resumed duties on return from England	Jan. 2, 1850

DE SARAM, C. H., Esq., £425. *1st Oct.* 1845

(Half salary as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Gampola £150.—Do. as Acting District Judge, Acting Commissioner of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Caltura £275.)

Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Gampolla	Oct. 1, 1845
Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kandy	Dec. 20, 1849
Resumed duties as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Gampolla	July 1, 1851
Acting Commissioner of Requests of Colombo	June 13, 1852
Resumed office of Commissioner of Requests, Gampolla	Dec. 14, 1853
Joint Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Caltura	Jan. 23, 1854
Acting District Judge, Acting Commissioner of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Caltura	Feb. 16, 1854
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Acting Commissioner of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Matelle.	March 1, 1854
Acting District Judge, Acting Commissioner of Requests, and Acting Police Magistrate of Caltura	Sept. 16, 1854

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DYKE, Percival Ackland, Esq., £1,500. — *15th May*, 1822

Extra Assistant Chief Secretary's Office	Jan. 17, 1824
Assistant to the Collector of Jaffna	March 1, 1824
Fiscal and Sitting Magistrate of Jaffna	Feb. 1, 1825
Provincial Judge of Trincomalie	Feb. 1, 1827
Collector of Trincomalie & Agent of Government Tamancadewe	Jan. 1, 1828
Collector of Jaffna	Oct. 1, 1829
Government Agent, Fiscal and Collector of Customs for the Northern Province	Oct. 1, 1833
Acting Auditor General and Comptroller of Revenue	Jan. 27, 1843
Government Agent, Fiscal and Collector of Customs for the Northern Province	Nov. 1, 1843

EVATT, H. A., Esq., £700. — *April* 1, 1852

(Half salary as Assistant Civil Engineer &c. £200.—Do. as Acting Civil Engineer &c. £500.)

Assistant in the Commissioner of Roads' Department	Feb. 4, 1842
Acting Commissioner of Roads	May 16, 1848
Resumed his appointment as Assistant in the Commissioner of Roads' Department	Nov. 2, 1849
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	Oct. 25, 1852
Resumed duties on return from England	May 1, 1854
Acting Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads	Aug. 16, 1854

FERGUSON, W., Esq., £200. — *8th Nov.* 1851

Assistant Surveyor	Nov. 8, 1851

FLANDERKA, J. L., Esq., £750. — *1st Jan.* 1846

Writer attached to the Colonial Secretary's Office	Jan. 1, 1846
Do. to the Office of the Government Agent at Jaffna	April 1, 1846
Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Mulletivoe	July 1, 1847
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Jaffna	Oct. 15, 1852
Assistant Government Agent, District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Nuwerakalawiye	Feb. 15, 1854

FLANDERKA, P. F., Esq., £400. — *Jan.* 6, 1845

Entered Customs Department under Treasury Warrant as Sub-Collector, Jaffna	Jan. 6, 1845
Acting Controller, Jaffna	Sept. 7, 1847
Assistant Collector and Landing Surveyor	Jan. 6, 1853

FORBES, W. Gordon, Esq., £950. — *5th Sept.* 1838

(Half salary as Assistant Government Agent at Matura £350.—Do. as Acting Government Agent for the Southern Province, £600.)

Assistant Government Agent for the Southern Province at Galle	Feb. 1, 1839
Acting Assistant Government Agent for the Southern Province at Ratnapoora and District Judge of ditto	July 1, 1840
District Judge of Badulla	Feb. 1, 1842
Assistant Government Agent for the Western Province at Chilaw, and District Judge of Chilaw and Putlam	May 1, 1843
District Judge of Chilaw	Oct. 1, 1845
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Matura	Sept. 1, 1847
Resumed Office of District Judge of Chilaw	Oct. 1, 1849
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Matura	March 1, 1850
Appointment confirmed	Dec. 4, 1852
Acting Government Agent and Acting Fiscal for the Southern Province	Aug. 16, 1854

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FRANCIS, R., Esq., £300. . . *30th Nov.* 1844

Assistant Commissioner of Roads	June 30, 1844
Assistant Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads. .	Jan. 1, 1851

FRASER, J., Esq., £800. *1st May*, 1848

(As Second Assistant Colonial Secretary and Secretary to School Commission £400.—As Acting Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk to the Councils, £400.)

Secretary to the School Commission* . . .	May 1, 1848
Second Assistant Colonial Secretary . . .	Aug. 1, 1852
The above offices combined	Sept. 25, 1853
Actg. Principal Asst. Colonial Secretary and Clerk to the Councils	Jan. 18, 1855

* Mr. Fraser held the office of keeper of the Government Records from 1st November 1847.

GIBSON, Thomas Lewis, Esq., £625. *21st June*, 1845

(Half salary as District Judge, &c. of Kurnegalle £275—Do. as Acting Assistant Government Agent of Matura £350.)

Police Magistrate of Bentotte	July 27, 1844
Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate at Bentotte† .	Jan. 1, 1845
District Judge and do. do. of Badulla . . .	Dec. 1, 1846
Acting District Judge Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kurnegalle	Aug. 28, 1847
Resumed office of District Judge do. and do. of Badulla .	July 27, 1848
Acting District Judge do. and do. of Kurnegalle . .	Sept. 20, 1848
Appointment confirmed	Feb. 18, 1850
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . .	Jan. 1, 1852
Resumed Office on return from England . .	Jan. 21, 1854
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Acting District Judge, Acting Commissioner of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Ratnapoora	April 1, 1854

† Mr. Gibson held the Office of Deputy to the Queen's Advocate at Kandy from 2d June 1842 to October 1843.

GIBSON, Hon'ble William Charles, Esq., £1,750. *10th Sept.* 1832

(Half Salary as Auditor General £750.—Do. as Acting Colonial Secretary £1000.)

Extra Assistant Chief Secretary's Office . .	March 1, 1833
Assistant Collector of Customs Negombo . .	May 1, 1833
Assistant Government Agent Colombo . . .	Oct. 1, 1833
Commissioner of the Loan Board, Auditor and Accountant of the Supreme Court	March 1, 1838
Chairman of the Savings' Bank . . .	July 15, 1838
Private Secretary to the Senior Puisne Justice . .	Aug. 22, 1838
Acting District Judge of Colombo, No. 1, South. .	Nov. 1, 1839
Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk to the Executive and Legislative Councils	July 1, 1840
Acting Government Agent for the Western Province .	Oct. 23, 1841
Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk of Councils ‡ .	Dec. 5, 1843
Resumed the Office on return from England . .	Dec. 29, 1845
Acting Auditor General and Comptroller of Revenue .	Nov. 18, 1846
Resumed his duties as Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk to the Councils	May 28, 1847
Acting Government Agent for the Western Province .	Sept. 1, 1847
Resumed his duties as Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk to the Councils	Aug. 27, 1848
Acting Auditor General and Comptroller of Revenue .	Dec. 18, 1849
Acting Colonial Secretary	Oct. 18, 1850
Resumed duties as Acting Auditor General . .	Nov. 27, 1850
Appointment confirmed	Feb. 1, 1851
Acting Colonial Secretary	Jan. 18, 1855

‡ Up to 25th February 1844, the date of his departure for England on leave of absence.

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GISBORNE, F. W. Esq., £400. . . *Aug.* 27, 1850

Writer attached to the Govt. Agent's Office at Jaffna . .	May 12, 1850
Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Putlam.	April 1, 1853
Assistant Government Agent at Galle . . .	June 14, 1854

GUNN, George, Esq., £225. . . 1*st May*, 1853

Sub-Collector and Landing Surveyor at Trincomalie . .	May 1, 1853

HUME, W. W., Esq., £400. *July* 1, 1854

Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Jaffna .	July 1, 1854

JUMEAUX, L., Esq., £375. . . . 1*st Oct.* 1846

(Half salary as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Chavagacherry £150—Do. as Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Negombo £225.)

Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Chavagacherry	Oct. 1, 1846
Acting Commissioner of Requests and acting Police Magistrate of Madawalatenne	March 1, 1853
Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kurnegalle	Sept. 1, 1853
Acting District Judge, Acting Commissioner of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Chilaw . . .	Feb. 6, 1854
Resumed duties as Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kurnegalle	May 8, 1854
Acting Commr. of Requests, and Acting Police Magistrate of Negombo	June 14, 1854

KERSHAW, D., Esq., (*half salary*) £250. 30*th Nov.* 1844

Assistant Civil Engineer	Oct. 1, 1846
Assistant Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads . .	Jan. 1, 1851
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . .	Aug. 1, 1853

KRIEKENBEEK, J., Esq., £300. 1*st April*, 1852

Assistant Auditor General	April 1, 1852

LAVALLIERE, Theodore, Esq., £1200. . 30*th Nov.* 1844

(Half salary as District Judge of Kandy £600—Do. as Acting District Judge of Colombo £600.)

Magistrate of Galle	Jan. 3, 1831
Do. of Pantura	Sept. 1, 1831
District Judge of Cayts	Oct. 1, 1833
Assistant Collector of Customs at Jaffna . . .	May 1, 1836
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Jaffna . .	Feb. 1, 1839
Acting District Judge of Caltura	March 1, 1840
Appointment confirmed	Augt. 1, 1840
Acting District Judge of Colombo	July 17, 1846
Resumed office of District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Caltura . . .	July 27, 1848
Acting District Judge of Colombo . . .	Sept. 20, 1848
Acting District Judge of Kandy	Dec. 18, 1851
Appointment confirmed*	June 16, 1852
Acting District Judge of Colombo	June 14, 1854

* Mr. Lavalliere was appointed an additional Commissioner of the Court of Requests of Kandy from 1st September, 1853.

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LAYARD, Charles Peter, Esq., £1,500. *10th Dec.* 1828

Extra Assistant Chief Secretary's Office.	April 30, 1830
Fiscal and Sitting Magistrate of Jaffna	June 1, 1831
Assistant to the Collector of Colombo*	Feb. 1, 1832
Assistant to the Government Agent for the Southern Province and District Judge of Alipoot†	May 1, 1835
Assistant to the Government Agent for the Western Province and District Judge of Colombo No. 4, Caltura	Feb. 1, 1836
Assistant to do. do. and District Judge of Colombo, No. 2, Negombo	Dec. 1, 1837
Acting District Judge of Galle	May 25, 1839
District Judge of Trincomalie	March 1, 1840
Acting District Judge of Galle	Aug. 20, 1847
Acting Government Agent for the Western Province	April 21, 1849
District Judge of Galle	Feb. 18, 1850
Acting Fiscal for the Western Province.	June 1, 1850
Confirmed as Government Agent and Fiscal for the Western Province	Oct. 1, 1851

* Up to 23d May 1833, the date of his departure for England on leave of absence.

† Mr. Layard returned from England on the 31st January 1835, and was unemployed to 1st May.

LAYARD, E. L., Esq., *(half salary)* £200. *1st July*, 1851

Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Point Pedro	July 1, 1849
Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Point Pedro.	July 1, 1851
Acting Deputy Fiscal for the Western Province	Feb. 18, 1852
Appointment confirmed	Dec. 4, 1852
Proceeded to England on leave of absence.	March 28, 1853

LAYARD, Frederick, Esq., £550. *1st Jan.* 1846

Writer attached to the Office of the Government Agent Colombo	Jan. 1, 1846
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Colombo	Nov. 18, 1846
Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Matura	Sept. 8, 1847
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Kandy	July 1, 1849
Acting District Judge, &c. of Caltura.	Jan. 1, 1851
Assistant Government Agent at Kandy	March 1, 1851
Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Matelle	July 1, 1851
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	April 11, 1852
Resumed office on return	Nov. 1, 1854

LEE, George, Esq., £850. *30th Nov.* 1844

Postmaster General.	May, 1, 1833
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	Jan. 29, 1839
Postmaster General, Secretary to the School Commission and Inspector of Schools	March 16, 1841
Postmaster General.	Oct. 1, 1845
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	May 31, 1853
Resumed office on return	Dec. 1, 1854

MACCARTHY, Hon'ble Charles Justin, Esq., £3,500. *5th April*, 1847

Auditor and Accountant General and Controller of Revenue	May 28, 1847
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	Jan. 18, 1848
Resumed the Office on return from England	Aug. 27, 1848
Acting Colonial Secretary	Dec. 19, 1849
Lieutenant Governor	Oct. 18, 1850
Resumed duties as Acting Colonial Secretary	Nov. 27, 1850
Appointment confirmed	Jan. 2, 1851
Lieutenant Governor	Jan. 18, 1853

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MITFORD, E. L., Esq., *(half salary)* £375. *30th Nov.* 1844

Extra Assistant in the Colonial Secretary's Office	Feb. 25, 1844
Writer attached to the Office of the Govt. Agent of Colombo	March 1, 1845
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Kandy	Nov. 19, 1845
Do. do. at Kaigalle and Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of ditto	Sept. 21, 1846
Assistant Government Agent at Galle, doing duty as Acting Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate at Kaigalle	Dec. 1, 1846
Assistant Government Agent at Galle.	Nov. 15, 1847
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Ratnapoora	Nov. 22, 1847
Appointment confirmed	Nov. 1, 1849
Acting District Judge, &c. at Ratnapoora	Oct. 21, 1849
Assistant Government Agent, District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Ratnapoora	Sept. 1, 1852
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	April 1, 1854

MOOYAART, H., Esq., £625. *1st Jan.* 1848

(Half salary as Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kaigalle, £275—Do. as acting Assistant Government Agent, Kurnegalle, £350.)

Writer attached to the Government Agent's Office at Jaffna	Jan. 1, 1848
Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Mallagam	Oct. 1, 1849
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Newera Ellia	Jan. 1, 1853
Appointment confirmed	Jan. 26, 1853
Acting Assistant Government Agent, acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kaigalle	Feb. 15, 1853
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Kurnegalle	June 14, 1854

MORPHEW, J., Esq., £625. *30th Nov.* 1844

(Half salary as Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate of Hambantotte £275—Do. as Acting Assistant Government Agent, Acting District Judge, Acting Commissioner of Requests, and Acting Police Magistrate of Batticaloa £350.)

Assistant Engineer	April 1, 1841
Assistant Civil Engineer	Feb. 1, 1843
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Kandy.	Sept. 21, 1846
Resumed office of Assistant Civil Engineer	July 27, 1848
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Kandy.	Sept. 20, 1848
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate at Hambantotte	July 1, 1849
Appointment confirmed	April 1, 1850
Acting Asst. Govt. Agent, Acting District Judge, Acting Commr. of Requests, and Acting Police Magistrate of Batticaloa	Sept. 1, 1854

MORRIS, William, Esq., £850. *29th Sept.* 1838

(Half salary as Assistant Agent at Kurnegalle £350—Do. as Acting Government Agent and Fiscal at Putlam £500.)

Assistant Government Agent Galle *	Sept. 5, 1837
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Kurnegalle	Feb. 1, 1839
Appointment confirmed	May 1, 1840
Acting Principal Assistant Colonial's Secretary's Office	May 18, 1848
Resumed duties as Assistant Government Agent at Kurnegalle	Aug. 27, 1848
Acting Government Agent for the North Western Province	Jan. 1, 1850
Resumed duties as Assistant Government Agent at Kurnegalle	July 1, 1851
Acting Government Agent and Acting Fiscal for the North-western Province	Feb. 15, 1853

* Mr. Morris held the office of Assistant Agent and District Judge of Hambantotte from 24th March to this date.

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NOAD, W. R., Esq., £300. . . . 11*th Oct.* 1852

Assistant Surveyor . . .	Oct. 11, 1852

O'GRADY, H. E., Esq., £750. . . 31*st July*, 1839

Acting Assistant Government Agent at Jaffna . .	March 1, 1840
Appointment confirmed	Aug. 1, 1840
Acting Assistant Government Agent of Manar & Nuwerakalawiya.	April 1, 1843
Assistant Government Agent at Kandy . . .	Sept. 1, 1844
Do. Do. at Galle . . .	March 1, 1845
District Judge of Batticaloa	Sept. 16, 1845
Acting District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Caltura	Feb. 18, 1850
Acting Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk of the Councils.	Jan. 1, 1851
Resumed office as Acting District Judge, &c. at Caltura .	March 1, 1851
Acting District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Trincomalie	Feb. 1, 1852
Appointment confirmed	Feb. 25, 1852

PARSONS, G. M., Esq., £200. . . 30*th Nov.* 1844

Assistant Civil Engineer . . .	Oct. 1, 1837
Commissioner of the Loan Board . . .	April 16, 1846
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . . .	Oct. 16, 1854

PARSONS, J., Esq., *(half salary)* £150. . 1*st March*, 1851

Writer attached to the Government Agent's Office at Jaffna* .	Oct. 1, 1849
Do. do. at Colombo	May 1, 1850
Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Matura	June 1, 1850
Appointment confirmed	March 1, 1851
Assistant to the Government Agent at Kandy . . .	July 1, 1851
Acting (Provisionally) Assistant Government Agent and Commissioner of Requests &c., at Matelle . . .	April 15, 1852
Resumed duties as Assistant to the Government Agent at Kandy.	Oct. 16, 1852
Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Putlam .	Jan. 1, 1853
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . . .	March 28, 1853

* Mr. Parsons held the Office of Deputy Fiscal at Kandy from June 1846, and of Acting Assistant Agent and Deputy Fiscal at that station from the 1st May 1849.

POLE, Henry, Esq., £550. . . . 1*st Aug.* 1845

Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Mulletivoe	Aug. 1, 1845
Do. do. of Galle	July 1, 1847
Do. do. of Jaffna	June 1, 1848
District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Matura	July 1, 1854

POWER, Edward Rawdon Bingham, Esq., £1,150. 16*th Oct.* 1837

(Half salary as Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary £400—Do. as Acting Government Agent for the Central Province £750.)

Assistant Government Agent at Kurnegalle . .	May 10, 1837
Assistant Government Agent and District Judge of 4 Korles .	Oct. 1, 1837
The offices of Assistant Government Agent and District Judge of 3 Korles united to those of the 4 Korles . .	June 1, 1839
Assistant Government Agent at Kaigalle and Commissioner of the Court of Requests and Police Magistrate of ditto* .	Jan. 1, 1845

* Up to 20th September 1846, the date of his departure for England on leave of absence, on sick certificate.

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Resumed the office on return from England . .	Nov. 15, 1847
Acting District Judge and Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Badulla . . .	Oct. 21, 1849
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Badulla . .	Dec. 20, 1849
Appointment confirmed	Feb. 1, 1851
Acting Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk to the Councils	June 16, 1851
Appointment confirmed	July 23, 1852
Acting Govt. Agent and Acting Fiscal for the Central Province .	Feb. 16, 1854

Mr. E. R. B. Power was gazetted to the office of Extra Assistant to the Colonial Secretary on the 1st June 1833; to be Extra Assistant, and to act as Private Secretary to the Right Hon'ble the Governor (Sir R. Wilmot Horton, Bart.) on the 6th December 1833; to be Private Secretary to the Governor on the 26th Dec. 1833. In 1835 Mr. Power proceeded to England, by order of the Governor, in charge of Despatches for the Secretary of State; returned to the Colony, and resumed his duties as Private Secretary to the Governor, on the 28th Oct. 1836, and continued to hold that appointment until the departure of Governor Sir R. Wilmot Horton from Ceylon in Nov. 1837.

Power, Thomas C. C., Esq., £875. . . 30*th Nov.* 1844

(Half salary as Assistant Agent &c. at Kaigalle £275—Do. as acting District Judge of Kandy £600.)

Acting Assistant Government Agent at Ratnapoora and District Judge of ditto*	Feb. 5, 1844
Writer attached to the Office of the Government Agent at Galle.	Aug. 26, 1845
Assistant Government Agent at Galle . . .	Sept. 16, 1845
District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Ratnapoora	Dec. 1, 1846
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests &c. at Kaigalle	Oct. 21, 1849
Appointment confirmed	Feb. 1, 1851
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Kurnegalle . .	Feb. 15, 1853
Acting District Judge, and additional Commr. of Requests Kandy	June 14, 1854

* Mr. Power acted previously as Assistant Agent at Galle and Kandy successively from 1st July 1840.

Price, Joseph, Esq., £1,250. . . 1*st Jan.* 1821

Extra Assistant Chief Secretary's Office . .	Feb. 6, 1822
Do. do. Commissioner of Revenue's Office. .	March 1, 1822
Assistant to the Commissioner of Revenue . .	May 1, 1822
Do. to the Collector of Jaffna . . .	July 1, 1822
Fiscal and Sitting Magistrate of Jaffna . . .	Sept. 1, 1822
Collector of Batticaloa	Feb. 1, 1825
Collector and Provincial Judge of Manar and Supervisor of the Pearl Banks	April 1, 1827
Collector of Jaffna	May 1, 1828
Provincial Judge of Jaffna	Oct. 1, 1829
District Judge of Jaffna	Oct. 1, 1833
Acting Government Agent, Fiscal and Collector of Customs for the Northern Province	Jan. 27, 1843
District Judge of Jaffna	Nov. 1, 1843

Robertson, W. N., Esq., £375. . 1*st May*, 1847

Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Rickellegaskedde*	March 7, 1847
Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Rickellegaskedde	May 1, 1847
Do. do. of Avishawelle	June 1, 1848

* Mr. Robertson held the appointment of Private Secretary to the Chief Justice from 1st February 1843 to 15th July 1846.

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RONAYNE, D. J., Esq., £600. . . . *March*, 1840

Clerk and Warehouse keeper, Demerara . . .	March 1840
Superintendent of Landing Waiter's Establishment, Demerara .	March 1845
Acting Collector, Demerara	March 1847
Sub-Collector, Berbice	1848
Collector, Galle	March 16, 1849
Proceeded to England on leave of absence. . .	June 14, 1852
Resumed duties on return from England . . .	Feb. 25, 1854

ROOSMALECOCQ, A. H., Esq., £550. . *7th May*, 1845

Assistant Commissioner of Roads	July 26, 1845
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Galle. . .	Dec. 1, 1846
Appointment confirmed	Nov. 1, 1848
Acting District Judge and Commissioner of Requests and acting Police Magistrate of Tangalle . . .	Jan. 16, 1853
Resumed duties as Assistant Government Agent at Galle .	March 16, 1853
Acting District Judge, acting Commissioner of Requests, and acting Police Magistrate of Tangalle. . . .	May 16, 1853
Appointment confirmed	June 14, 1854

SAUNDERS, Frederick, Esq. £1000. *6th Feb.* 1823

Collector's Office, Liverpool	Feb. 1823
Warehouse keeper, Halifax, Nova Scotia . . .	Sep. 6, 1825
Controller, St. Andrews, New Brunswick . . .	Feb. 1, 1828
Collector, St. George's, Bermuda . . .	March 14, 1833
Controller, Ceylon	Aug. 7, 1836
Principal Collector of Customs, Ceylon . . .	Aug. 1, 1843

SCOTT, E. B., Esq., £350. . . *8th Nov.* 1851

(Half salary as Assistant Civil Engineer, &c., £250.—Do. as Assistant Surveyor £100.)

Assistant Surveyor	Nov. 8, 1851
Acting Assistant Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads .	Sept. 1, 1852

SKINNER, T., Esq., *(half salary)* £500.

Commissioner of Roads*	Sept. 1, 1841
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . .	May 16, 1848
Resumed his duties on return from England . .	Nov. 2, 1849
Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads . .	Jan. 1, 1851
Proceeded to England on leave of absence . .	Aug. 16, 1854

* Major Skinner acted as Civil Engineer from 1st January 1838 to 31st January 1840.

SMEDLEY, Edward Hume, Esq., £850. . *24th Aug.* 1841

Acting Sub-Collector of Customs at Barbaryn . .	Dec. 1, 1841
One of the Commissioners of the Treasury . .	May 1, 1842
Acting Assistant Government Agent of Jaffna . .	Feb. 10, 1843
Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Galle .	Jan. 18, 1845
Assistant Government Agent at Kandy . . .	July 1, 1845
District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kurnegalle	Sept. 12, 1845
Acting District Judge of Caltura . . .	July, 3, 1847
Resumed office of District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kurnegalle . . .	July 27, 1848
Acting District Judge, Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Caltura . . .	Sept. 20, 1848
Acting District Judge of Galle . . .	April 21, 1849
Resumed office of Acting District Judge, Acting Commissioner of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Caltura .	Sept. 1, 1849
Acting District Judge of Galle . . .	Feb. 18, 1850
District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Trincomalie	Feb. 18, 1850

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Confirmed as District Judge of Galle	Oct. 1, 1851
Commissioner of the Court of Requests and Police Magistrate of Galle	Jan. 1, 1853
District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Manaar	June 1, 1854

STAPLES, Henry Joseph, Esq., £650. — *21st June*, 1845

Commissioner of Requests of Colombo	Jan. 1, 1845
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	June 13, 1852
Resumed office on return	Dec. 14, 1853

STEPHEN, T. B., Esq., £300. — *Jan.* 1840

Registrar General's Office, London	Jan. 1840
Collector's Office do.	Jan. 1843
Landing Waiter do.	Jan. 1845
Landing Surveyor, Galle	Oct. 14, 1846
Acting Collector do.	May 1, 1853
Resumed duties as Landing Surveyor at Galle	Feb. 24, 1854

TALBOT, Honorable Gerald C., *(half salary)* £600. — *23d June*, 1838

Acting Assistant Government Agent for the Eastern Province at Trincomalie	Dec. 1, 1838
Do. Do. Northern Province at Manar & District Judge of do	Nov. 1, 1839
Assistant Government Agent for the Southern Province at Matura, to continue to do duty at Manar	Feb. 1, 1842
Assumed the office of Assistant Government Agent at Matura	Feb. 1, 1842
Acting Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary's Office	April 20, 1847
Resumed duties as Assistant Government Agent at Matura	May, 20, 1847
Acting Principal Assistant, Colonial Secretary's Office*	Sept. 1, 1847
Resumed Office of Assistant Government Agent at Matura on return from England	Oct. 1, 1849
Acting Government Agent for the Southern Province	March 1, 1850
District Judge of Kandy	Feb. 1, 1852
Government Agent and Fiscal for the Southern Province	June 16, 1852
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	Aug. 16, 1854

* Up to 12th May 1848, the date of his departure to England on leave of absence.

TEMPLE, Hon'ble Christopher, Esq., £1,500. — *30th Nov.* 1844

(Half salary as Acting Second Puisne Justice, £900.—Do. as District Judge Colombo, £600.)

Acting District Judge of Colombo, No. 1, South†	July 30, 1844
District Judge of Colombo	Jan. 1, 1845
Acting Second Puisne Justice of the Supreme Court	July 17, 1846
Resumed office of District Judge of Colombo	July 27, 1848
Acting Second Puisne Justice of the Supreme Court	Sept. 20, 1848
Resumed duties as District Judge of Colombo	Nov. 27, 1851
Acting Second Puisne Justice of the Supreme Court	Jan. 28, 1854

† Mr. Temple held the office of Deputy Queen's Advocate from the 18th July 1841 up to this date.

TEMPLE, R., Esq., £300. — *1st June*, 1850

(Half salary as Commissioner of Requests &c., Kurnegalle £150—Do. as acting Assistant Government Agent, &c. at Nuwera Ellia &c. £150.)

Acting Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Madawelletenne and Kurnegalle	March 13, 1850
Appointment confirmed	June 1, 1850
Acting Assistant Government Agent, acting Commissioner of the Court of Requests and acting Police Magistrate of Nuwera Ellia	Feb. 15, 1853

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TEMPLER, Francis B., Esq., *(half salary)* £275. — *23d May*, 1845

Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate at Avishavelle.	Dec. 1, 1846
Do. do. of Rickellegaskede	June 1, 1848
Do. do. and Assistant Government Agent at Nuwera-Ellia	Oct. 1, 1849
Acting District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Caltura	Feb. 1, 1852
Appointment confirmed	June 16, 1852
Acting Asst. Government Agent, Acting District Judge, Acting Commr. of Requests and Acting Police Magistrate of Badulla.	Feb. 16, 1854
Resumed duties as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Caltura	March 1, 1854
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	Sept. 16, 1854

TWYNAM, W. C., Esq., £475. — *23d May*, 1845

(Half salary as Assistant Government Agent at Jaffna £200.—Do. as Acting Assistant Government Agent, Acting Commissioner of Requests, and Acting Police Magistrate of Hambantotte £275.)

Writer attached to the Office of the Government Agent at Galle	Oct. 1, 1845
Do. to do. Putlam *	Dec. 1, 1845
Assistant Government Agent at Jaffna.	Oct. 1, 1848
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Matelle	Oct. 15, 1852
Acting Commissioner of Requests and acting Police Magistrate of Chavagacherry	March 1, 1853
Resumed duties as Assistant Government Agent at Jaffna	March 1, 1854
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Acting Commissioner of Requests, and Acting Police Magistrate of Hambantotte	Sept. 1, 1854

* Mr. Twynam was appointed to act as Commr. of Requests and Police Magistrate of Calpentyn from the 1st to the 19th September 1847.

VANE, George, Esq., £650. — *12th Aug.* 1834

Collector's Office, Liverpool	Aug. 12, 1834
Inspector General of Imports and Exports Office, London	July, 1837
Collector's Office, London	Oct. 1837
Landing Waiter, London	May, 1839
Controller, Jaffna	Aug. 8, 1846
Acting Collector, Galle	Aug. 8, 1847
Acting Controller, Colombo	Sept. 1847
Acting Collector do.	April, 1848
Controller do.	Sept. 4, 1848
Deputy Collector and Landing Surveyor	Jany. 6, 1853

WALKER, Charles Patton, Esq., £1,000. — *16th Oct.* 1837

Assistant to the Government Agent for the Eastern Province at Trincomalie	Sept. 1, 1837
Acting Assistant to the Government Agent for the Southern Province at Hambantotte, and District Judge of ditto	Dec. 1, 1838
Appointment confirmed	Feb. 1, 1841
Acting District Judge of Colombo, No. 2, Negombo	Jan. 27, 1843
Appointment confirmed	Nov. 3, 1843
Assistant to the Government Agent for the Western Province at Ratnapoora, and District Judge of ditto	Oct. 1, 1845
Assistant Government Agent at Ratnapoora	Dec. 1, 1846
Acting Assistant to the Government Agent for the Northern Province and District Judge of Manar	Nov. 25, 1847
Appointment confirmed	Nov. 1, 1849
District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Galle	June 1, 1854

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WHITING, William Henry, Esq., *(half salary)* £600. 20*th June*, 1826

Extra Assistant Chief Secretary's Office	May 1, 1827
Assistant to the Collector of Colombo	Jan. 1, 1828
Fiscal and Sitting Magistrate of Jaffna	Feb. 1, 1832
Assistant Government Agent for the Southern Province at Hambantotte	Oct. 1, 1833
Assistant Government Agent for the Western Province and District Judge of Four Korles	Dec. 1, 1833
Assistant Government Agent for the Eastern Province and District Judge of Batticaloa	Oct. 1, 1837
Acting District Judge of Colombo, No. 1, North	Feb. 1, 1839
District Judge of Colombo, No. 1, North*	July 14, 1839
Government Agent, Fiscal, and Collector of Customs for the Eastern Province†	May 8, 1845
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	Sept. 1, 1854

* Up to 15th April 1843, the date of his departure for England on leave of absence.

† Acted as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Trincomalie from 15th July 1849 to the 31st Jan. 1852.

WILSON, C., Esq., £500. 30*th Nov.* 1844

Assistant Surveyor	Jan. 7, 1846
Proceeded to England on leave of absence	Feb. 13, 1852
Resumed Office on return from England	Aug. 24, 1853

LIST OF PUBLIC SERVANTS ON LEAVE.

	Date at which leave expires.
D. KERSHAW, Esq.	*Dec.* 30, 1854.
A. O. BRODIE, Esq.	*Feb.* 15, 1855.
C. R. BULLER, Esq.	*Feb.* 15, 1855.
E. L. LAYARD, Esq.	*March* 28, 1855.
G. M. PARSONS, Esq.	*April* 15, 1855.
E. H. BURROWS, Esq.	*April* 30, 1855.
E. L. MITFORD, Esq.	*June* 30, 1855.
HON. G. C. TALBOT	*Aug.* 15, 1855.
T. SKINNER, Esq.	*Aug.* 15, 1855.
W. H. WHITING, Esq.	*Aug.* 31, 1855.
F. B. TEMPLER, Esq.	*Sept.* 15, 1855.

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WRITERS.

	Date of Appointment by Secretary of State.	Date of passing Examination in the Native Languages under the Governor's Minute.
CAIRNS, W. W. Esq.,	*7th Dec.* 1852.	
Writer attached to the Govt. Agent's Office, Galle		Feb. 24, 1853
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Galle		May 16, 1853
Proceeded to England on leave of absence		June 28, 1854
DE SARAM, J. A. Henry, Esq., £200.	*25th Oct.* 1852.	*19th May,* 1852
Writer attached to the Government Agent's Office, Colombo		Oct. 25, 1852
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Galle		Jan. 16, 1853
Resumed duties as Writer, Colombo Cutcherry		March 16, 1853
Transferred to the Putlam Cutcherry to be attached to the Kurnegalle Cutcherry		June 1, 1853
Acting Assistant Government Agent, Joint Commissioner of Requests and Joint Police Magistrate, Badulla		Sept. 1, 1853
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Colombo		Dec. 14, 1853
Writer attached to the Government Agent's Office, Colombo		April 19, 1854
MACREADY, W. C., Esq., £200.	*12th June,* 1854.	
Writer attached to the Colonial Secretary's Office		Nov. 1, 1854
MORRIS, R. W. T., Esq., £300.	*12th April,* 1853.	*10th Jan.* 1854
(Half salary as acting Assistant Government Agent, Colombo £200.—Allowance £100.)		
Writer attached to the Government Agent's Office, Putlam		April 1, 1853
Acting Assistant Government Agent Kandy		August 1, 1853
Do. Do. Colombo		July 1, 1854
RUSSELL, H. S. O., Esq., £300.	*21st Oct.* 1852.	*17th July,* 1854
(Half salary as Acting Assistant Government Agent at Jaffna £200.—Allowance £100.)		
Writer attached to the Colonial Secretary's Office		Jan. 26, 1853
Extra Assistant Colonial Secretary's Office		Feb. 16, 1854
Acting Assistant Government Agent at Jaffna		Sept. 1, 1854
WRIGHT, W. D. Esq., £300.	*18th Feb.* 1853.	
(Half salary as acting Assistant Government Agent Kandy £200—Allowance £100.)		
Acting Deputy Fiscal for the Central Province		May 1, 1853
Acting Assistant Government Agent of Kandy		July 1, 1854

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LIST of HER MAJESTY'S CIVIL SERVANTS and others who have retired on Pension; shewing the date, and Office each held, at the period of Retirement.

J. Gay, Esq., Judicial Commissioner of Kandy	1st	Jan.	1820	£600
H. R. Sneyd, Esq., Provincial Judge at Galle	1st	Jan.	1821	400
J. Richardson, Esq., Collector of Trincomalie	1st	Jan.	1822	500
E. E. Boyd, Esq., Provincial Judge of Galle	1st	Jan.	1822	400
W. H. Hooper, Esq., Provincial Judge of Colombo	27th	June	1825	500
J. W. Carrington, Esq., Vice Treasurer	27th	May	1829	600
H. Pennel, Esq., Provincial Judge of Colombo	1st	Oct.	1829	500
J. Downing, Esq., Judicial Commissioner of Kandy	1st	Mar.	1830	500
C. Brownrigg, Esq., Provincial Judge of Colombo	1st	April	1833	600
J. Barnett, Esq., Government Agent for the Southern Province	1st	Feb.	1836	450
J. G. Forbes, Esq., District Judge of Colombo No. 1 North	20th	Aug.	1836	600
R. M. Sneyd, Esq., District Judge of Galle	6th	Sept.	1837	550
J. Bone, Esq., Assistant Government Agent and District Judge of Batticaloa	1st	Oct.	1837	400
M. Wilmot, Esq., Government Agent for the Southern Province	1st	Sept.	1838	450
W. Granville, Esq., Treasurer	1st	April	1840	550
W. Moir, Esq., Asst. Government Agent at Ratnapoora and District Judge of Colombo No. 6.	1st	May	1840	450
H. R. Scott, Esq., District Judge of Galle	1st	Aug.	1840	450
R. Wells, Esq., District Judge of Kandy North	1st	Feb.	1842	400
J. W. Huskisson, Esq., Government Agent for the Eastern Province	2nd	Aug.	1842	400
J. S. Rodney, Esq., Government Agent for the Eastern Province	1st	Sept.	1844	550
J. N. Mooyaart, Esq., Acting Auditor General	1st	Dec.	1844	800
P. Anstruther, Esq., Colonial Secretary	15th	May	1845	600
H. Wright, Esq., Auditor General	18th	Nov.	1846	550
A. Walker, Esq., Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Kandy	6th	June	1848	400
E. S. Waring, Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate of Matelle	1st	Oct.	1848	280
F. Price, Esq., Assistant Agent District Judge and do. do. of Manaar	—	„	—	250
G. R. Mercer, Esq., Assistant Government Agent at Badulla		Dec.	1849	600
A. Stewart, Esq., District Judge of Galle	18th	Feb.	1850	600
J. G. Layard, Esq., Asst. Government Agent at Kandy	28th	Feb.	1851	100
P. E. Wodehouse, Esq., Government Agent for the Western Province	—	—	—	550
G. H. Cripps, Esq., Government Agent for the Southern Province	16th	June	1852	600
H. Keyt, Esq., Third Assistant Colonial Secretary	1st	Augt.	1852	246
J. Starke, Esq., 2d Puisne Justice of the Supreme Court	—	—	—	450
Sir A. Oliphant, Chief Justice of the Island of Ceylon	16th	June	1854	1,250
The Rev. J. Wenham, Colonial Chaplain	—	—	—	120
The Rev. J. P. Horsford, Colonial Chaplain		Jan.	1852	240
The Rev. J. H. De Saram, Singhalese Colonial Chaplain	1st	Sept.	1852	220
The Rev. J. G. Macvicar, Colonial Chaplain, Scotch Church	—	—	—	125
Pensions to Widows of Civil Servants	—	—	—	2910
				£20,741

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R. Morris, Esq., *Secretary*.

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RATNAPOORA.—W. Barton, Esq., Chairman—J. G. C. Pieris, Esq.—William Webster, Esq., Rakwane—Iddemalgodde Ratemahatmeya of Nawedoon and Kukul Corles.

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District Committees.

Trincomalie.—R. Atherton, Esq., Chairman.—F. Gray, Esq.—C. L. Markar Modliar.

Batticaloa.—J. Morphew, Esq., Chairman.—A. Robertson, Esq.—Samenada Modliar.—J. D. Young, Esq.

NORTHERN PROVINCE—Provincial Committee.

P. A. Dyke, Esq., Chairman.—H. Byrne, Esq.—W. W. Hume, Esq.—R. D. Davidson, Esq.—T. S. Burnell, Esq.—S. Savrymoottoe Modeliar.—Mr. A. Saravanemoottoe.

District Committee.

Jaffna.—P. A. Dyke, Esq.—S. Savrymoottoe Modeliar.—Vacant.—Vacant.

District Committee.

Manaar.—E. H. Smedley, Esq., Chairman.—Don J. M. Patcheco, Esq.—Don Adrian Rasakaria Kanagesooria Modeliar.—Kanagesinghe Modeliar Manuel Pariara.

District Committee.

Mulletivoe.—D. Purcell Esq., Chairman.—Maylvaganc Modeliar.—Mr. Thomispilie Swampille.—Mr. Verasinghe Mapaner Kanther.

District Committee.

Anoradhaporah.—J. L. Flanderka, Esq., Chairman.—Dissanaike Puncheralle Ratemahatmea.—Alootwewe Puncheralle Ratemahatmea.—Nikewewe Appoohamy Ratemahatmea.

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Boards of Health.

The Government Agent—The Principal Civil Medical Officer—The Police Magistrate of Colombo—F. W. Willisford, Esq., M. D.
Mr. Medical Sub-Assistant Dickman to be Secretary to the Board.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

The Government Agent—The Police Magistrate of Putlam—Medical Officer in charge of Civil Medical duties.

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

The Government Agent—The Police Magistrate of Galle—The Master Attendant of Galle—Medical Officer in charge of Civil Medical duties.

EASTERN PROVINCE.

The Government Agent—The Police Magistrate of Trincomalie—Medical Officer in charge of Civil Medical duties.

NORTHERN PROVINCE.

The Government Agent—The Police Magistrate of Jaffna—Medical Officer in charge of Civil Medical duties.

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

The Government Agent—The Police Magistrate of Kandy—Medical Officer in charge of Civil Medical duties.

General Rules framed by the Board of Health and in force in the Western Province. *

SMALL POX CHOLERA, &c.

1. The Police shall make known to the Superintendent of Vaccination, with the least possible delay, the occurrence of any case of Small Pox or any other Epidemic or contagious disease. In the Rural districts such information shall be afforded by the Native Headmen.

2. The Medical Officer appointed to inspect such cases shall, in every instance of Small Pox, give information thereof to the Superintendent of Police, who shall forthwith affix to the door of the house in which the case is found, such mark as shall sufficiently denote the existence of the disease therein.

3. Before such mark shall be removed, the Superintendent of Police shall communicate to the appointed Medical Officer the result of such case or cases of Small Pox, whether in death or in recovery. In either case he will receive instructions from the Medical Officer as to the safety of removing the mark from the house or permitting persons who have been affected to go abroad.

4. The Superintendent of Police shall remove to the Small Pox Hospital established at Marandahn or elsewhere, any case of Small Pox in which he may be required so to do by the owner or occupier of a house or the head of a family, under the conditions of the 8th section of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1852, also all destitute persons affected with the disease, also all persons who may be found in the public streets or thoroughfares with the Small Pox disease upon them.

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* Similar Rules are also in force in the other Provinces.

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5. In the execution of these duties the subordinate Officers of the Police are enjoined to use all possible tenderness and consideration for the sufferers, and for the religious or other feelings of their relations.

6. The Superintendent of Vaccination shall furnish to the Board of Health such periodical Returns and Reports as shall seem advisable. These will in their principal features correspond with those which the Superintendent of Vaccination has to furnish the Head of the Medical Department.

7. In the event of Cholera becoming epidemic, the Board of Health will communicate to Government such measures as may seem likely to arrest the progress of the disease.

8. The Board of Health will exercise supervision over the Hospitals for Small Pox at Marandahn, or in any other place where it may be deemed requisite to form a similar Establishment. The discipline and economy of such Hospitals shall rest as heretofore with the Principal Civil Medical Officer.

9. The financial arrangements of expenses incurred by Vaccinators shall continue as heretofore to be made by the Principal Civil Medical Officer.

VACCINATION.

1. The Board shall solicit from Government such aid from the Medical Sub-Assistants, to be appointed for the duty by the Principal Civil Medical Officer, under the sanction of Government, and of Native Vaccinators, as may be judged necessary.

2. No person shall be employed in a public capacity, who cannot produce satisfactory evidence of having undergone Vaccination or small Pox. The Proprietors of Estates and Manufactories, Heads of Families, and of Mercantile Establishments, are urged to adopt a similar precaution.

3. All Government Schoolmasters shall ascertain, previous to the admission of any child to their Schools, that the like evidence exists. The same rule is recommended to private Schoolmasters and all others who have the charge of children.

4. The Superintendents of Jails and Hospitals shall ensure the security of the inmates by the practice of Vaccination, in all cases wherein the Medical Officers may deem necessary.

5. The Board, under the authority of Government, shall issue notifications setting forth the advantages of Vaccination, the dangers resulting from its neglect, and the penalties attached to disobedience of the law. They shall call for the support and aid of all Christian Ministers and Catechists, of Moorish and Budhist Priests, and of European and Native Practitioners. The vigilance and aid of the Native Headmen shall be secured by authority from Government.

RULES FOR THE GUIDANCE OF OFFICERS.

Superintendent of Vaccination and his Duties.—The Superintendent of Vaccination shall generally superintend the labours of the different Vaccinators. He shall, from time to time, during his inspection, satisfy himself that only genuine Lymph is employed by them, and that they perform the operation of Vaccination in a correct and satisfactory manner. He shall take care that the proper returns are forwarded at the periods specified. He shall furnish annually to the Board a detailed Report of the progress of Vaccination in the Western Province.

Medical Sub-Assistants.—The Medical Sub-Assistants engaged in Vaccination duties shall make a Monthly Report to the Superintendent of Vaccination, specifying the number of persons vaccinated by the different Vaccinators employed under them, whose Vaccination they, the Medical Sub-Assistants, have personally inspected. The quality of the Lymph employed in their districts, whether it has suffered deterioration from any cause; and the nature and extent of assistance rendered by the Civil Authorities, particularly the rural Headmen. If they have any communication to make calculated to further the cause of Vaccination, or with reference to the activity and efficiency of the Native Vaccinators, it should be embodied in such Reports.

The Medical Sub-Assistants shall vaccinate twice in the week, other Civil duties permitting. Their Vaccination should not extend to the remote stations, but once a month they should visit all the stations of the Native Vaccinators under them, in order that they may be enabled to make the report above mentioned to the Superintendent of Vaccination. They shall forward to the Superintendent of Vaccination, a weekly numerical return of Vaccination performed by themselves and the Native Vaccinators in their districts, and also a monthly nominal return. All weekly returns should be forwarded to the Superintendent of Vaccination on Mondays, and all Monthly returns should be despatched so as to reach the Superintendent by the 10th of the month.

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Native Vaccinators.—Native Vaccinators shall make themselves practically acquainted with the different matters connected with Vaccination, by embracing all opportunities for instruction and improvement. The Medical Sub Assistants under whose direction they are employed, shall report periodically upon their general usefulness, diligence and activity, to the Superintendent of Vaccination. They shall vaccinate four days in each week. They shall forward to the Medical Sub Assistant of their district, or to the Superintendent of Vaccination, where no Medical Sub-Assistant is employed on such duties, a weekly numerical return in the same form as that prescribed for the Medical Sub-Assistants. They shall have one or more Vaccine stations in a village, according to its extent, and shall use their best exertions to promote efficient Vaccination by uniform kindness of manner, by great care in the performance of their duties, and by exhorting the patients to protect the vesicles throughout all stages, so that crusts may be properly formed. At the end of the month the Native Vaccinators shall furnish the Medical Sub-Assistant or Superintendent of Vaccination with a nominal return of Vaccination, in the same form as that prescribed for the Medical Sub-Assistant.

RULES FOR VACCINATING.

1st.—All persons who have not been satisfactorily vaccinated or had the Small Pox are liable to the most severe form of that disease. The protection of all such persons by efficient Vaccination is the object now earnestly desired.

2nd.—If a healthy child be properly vaccinated, by puncture at 8 o'clock on Monday, at the same hour on the following Monday the vesicles will be of a circular form and pearly appearance, well raised from the surface, with a flat top, not a pointed one, and with very little surrounding inflammation. *Such a child, although liable to Small Pox before, is now safe; and such a case should be invariably chosen from which to vaccinate others.*

3rd.—Four small punctures should be made, care being taken that the lymph is inserted under the thin skin.

4th.—The patients and their friends must be urged not to allow the vesicles to be rubbed at any time, so that they may dry and fall off of themselves.

5th.—Punctuality of attendance is essential, to avoid disappointment to patients, and to enable you to judge of the success of your efforts.

6th.—Efficient Vaccination leaves on the arm a distinct though superficial scar, which looks as if pins had been stuck into it. If there are not at least three such marks, or if seven years have passed since the last Vaccination, the person should be re-vaccinated.

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Minutes on Pensions.

MINUTE

FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE.

1. UNDER instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to direct that the following Rules by which it is proposed that the Civil Service of this Colony shall in future be regulated in respect to Classification, Salaries and Pensions, be published for general information.

2. The Service will be divided into two Branches, to be termed the Senior Branch and the Junior Branch, and the latter will consist of five Classes.

3. A list of the Offices comprised in the several Branches and Classes, and of the salaries attached to them is annexed to this Minute.

4. These Salaries will commence from the 1st July 1845, from which date also will be computed the service entitling the newly added Officers to the periodical increase of Salary incident to their respective Classes.

5. The Pensions of the Civil Servants appointed prior to 1832 will be regulated by the rules hitherto in force, which will remain unaltered.

6. A Civil Servant appointed subsequently to 1832 will be entitled to pension at the following rates and under the restrictions founded upon the Provisions of the Act 4 & 5 William 4, Cap. 24, hereinafter specified.

For 15 years' service and less than 20, a Pension equal to four-twelfths of the Salary of his Office.

For 20 years and less than 25, five-twelfths.

For 25 years and less than 30, six-twelfths.

For 30 years and less than 35, seven-twelfths.

For 35 years and upwards, eight-twelfths.

These rates are to be the maximum rates in respect of each period of Service, and may be subject to diminution.

7. No Pension will be granted without the authority of Her Majesty's Government, in order to obtain which Certificates of Service, Age, good Conduct and of the ground of retirement must be submitted to the Secretary of State.

8. No pension will be granted to any Civil Servant who shall be under fifty-five years of age, unless upon Certificate from the Head of the Department to which he may belong, and from two Medical Practitioners, that he is incapable from infirmity of mind or body to discharge the duties of his situation; nor unless he shall have discharged those Duties with diligence and fidelity to the satisfaction of the Head of his Department. And in case the Civil Servant claiming such pension shall be himself the Head of a Department, then such pension shall not be granted unless he shall have discharged the duties of his situation with diligence and fidelity to the satisfaction of the Governor, by whom the same shall be certified to the Secretary of State.

9. The Pension shall be computed upon the amount of the Salary enjoyed by a Civil Servant at the time of his retirement, provided he shall have been in the receipt of the same or in the same Branch and Class for at least three years; otherwise the Pension shall be calculated upon the average amount of Salary received by such person for three years next preceding the commencement of such Pension.

10. It will be competent to Her Majesty's Government, in cases of peculiar and extraordinary merit, to grant special and higher rates of Pensions than those laid down in the preceding Regulations.

11. No Civil Servant will be held to have an absolute right to compensation for past Services or to any Pension under this Minute, and Her Majesty's Government will retain their power and authority to dismiss any Civil Servant from the Service without compensation.

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12. In consideration of the claim to pension hereby established, an abatement at the rate of five per cent. will be made from the Salary of every Civil Servant appointed since 1832, to commence from the 14th February last.

13. The claim of a Civil Servant to Pension will be considered to have commenced from his first permanent appointment to any of the Offices in the List annexed to this Minute.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 3d July 1845.

P. E. WODEHOUSE,
Act. Col. Secy.

MINUTE

FOR THE CLERGY AND TEACHERS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR is pleased to announce that the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State has authorized the benefits of the Pension Scheme for the Civil Service of this Colony, laid down in the Minute of 3d July 1845, to be extended to all the Clergy and Ministers of the Christian Religion in Ceylon receiving stipends from the Public Treasury, and to the Masters of the Superior Schools; with the following modification however, in regard to the period at which the claim to Pension should commence.

By the Minute above referred to, the Pension scale in the case of the Civil Servants is fixed to begin at 15 years' service. But as the considerations which led to that regulation do not apply to Clergymen and Schoolmasters, who must necessarily be of mature age before they are appointed, and would enter, immediately on their arrival in the Colony, on the efficient discharge of their respective duties, Her Majesty's Government has decided, that any Clergyman or Schoolmaster who may be compelled to retire after Ten years' service, but under Fifteen, shall be entitled, under the same conditions as are laid down for the Civil Service Pensions, to a Pension not exceeding three-twelfths of his Salary.—After 15 years' service, they will follow in all respects the rules laid down in regard to Pensions to the Civil Service.

His Excellency has further to announce that the following Schoolmasters come within the scope of the regulation hereby established.

Principal of the Colombo Academy.
Mathematical Teacher of do.
Classical Teacher of do.
Teacher of Drawing and Design of do.
Head Master of the Model School of do.
Rector of the Native Normal Seminary.
Head Master of the Central School of Colombo.
Head Master of the Central and Normal Schools of Galle.
Head Master of the Central and Normal Schools of Kandy.

In consideration of the claim to Pension hereby established, an abatement at the rate of five per cent. will be made from the Salary of every one of the functionaries described in this Minute, to commence from 1st July last.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 28th August 1846.

J. E. TENNENT,
Col. Secy.

MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR desires to correct an omission in the above Minute of the 28th August, by inserting in the List of those entitled to Pension the Officer holding the appointment of Inspector of Schools.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 19th September 1846.

J. E. TENNENT,
Col. Secy.

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MINUTE

FOR THE JUDGES OF THE SUPREME COURT.

His Excellency the Governor is pleased to announce, that the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State has authorised the establishment of a Scheme of Pensions for the Judges of the Supreme Court of this Island, under the following regulations.

A Judge who is unable, after 15 years' service as such, to continue efficiently to discharge the duties of his Office, will be entitled to a pension not exceeding one-half of his Salary; such pension will not however be increased in consequence of prolonged service beyond fifteen years.

In the event of a Judge being compelled by ill health to retire after a service of 7 years, but less than 15 years, he will be permitted, on producing a Medical Certificate of incapacity to continue in the discharge of his duties, to retire on a pension not exceeding one-fourth of his Salary.

To a Judge who should retire before completing 7 years' service no Pension will be granted.

No Judge will be held to have an absolute right to compensation for past services, or to a Pension under this Minute: and no Pension will be granted without the authority of Her Majesty's Government; in order to obtain which, Certificates of service, age, and the grounds of retirement will be submitted to the Secretary of State.

In consideration of the claim to Pension hereby established, an abatement at the rate of 5 per cent. will be made from the salaries of the Judges of the Supreme Court; to commence from the 14th September last.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 5th December 1846.

J. E. Tennent,
Col. Secy.

MINUTE

FOR THE GOVERNMENT CLERKS.

1. His Excellency the Governor is pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the following Rules, by which it is proposed that the pensions of all persons employed, or who may hereafter be employed on the Fixed Establishment and Provisional Establishment sanctioned by Her Majesty's Government, of the several Offices and Departments specified in the List annexed to this Minute, and not within the exceptions thereof, and not receiving a Salary less than £25 per annum, shall hereafter be regulated.

2. Every person so borne on the Fixed and Provisional Establishments as aforesaid, will be entitled to Pension at the following rates, and under the restrictions founded upon the provisions of the Act 4 and 5 Wm. 4, Cap. 24. hereinafter specified:

For 15 years' service and less than 20, a pension equal to four-twelfths of the Salary of his office.

For 20 years and less than 25—five-twelfths.

For 25 years and less than 30—six-twelfths.

For 30 years and less than 35—seven-twelfths.

For 35 years and upwards—eight-twelfths.

These rates are to be the maximum rates in respect of each period of service, and may be subject to diminution.

3. No Pension will be granted without the authority of Her Majesty's Government, in order to obtain which Certificates of service, age, good conduct, and of the ground of retirement must be submitted to the Secretary of State.

4. No Pension will be granted to any Person who shall be under fifty-five years of age, unless upon Certificate from the Head of the Department to which

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he may belong, and from two Medical Practitioners, that he is incapable from infirmity of mind or body to discharge the duties of his situation; nor unless he shall have discharged those Duties with diligence and fidelity to the satisfaction of the Head of his Department.

5. The pension shall be computed upon the amount of salary enjoyed at the time of retirement, provided the claimant shall have been in the receipt of the same for at least three years; otherwise the pension shall be calculated upon the average amount of Salary received for three years next preceding the commencement of such Pension.

6. It will be competent to Her Majesty's Government, in cases of peculiar and extraordinary merit, to grant special and higher rates of Pension than those laid down in the preceding regulations.

7. No claimant for a pension will be held to have an absolute right to compensation for past services, or to any Pension under this Minute; and His Excellency the Governor will retain his power and authority to dismiss any Clerk or other Public Servant from the Service without compensation.

8. In consideration of the claim to Pension hereby established, an abatement shall be made from the 1st instant, according to the respective rates following; (that is to say,)

From salaries not exceeding the sum of £100, an abatement after the rate of £2. 10*s*. per Centum;

And from salaries exceeding £100, £5 per Centum;

9. These abatements (which are only applicable to salaries drawn on the Fixed Abstracts, and Provisional Abstracts sanctioned by Her Majesty's Government) will be made by the respective Heads of Departments, and by them remitted monthly to the Treasurer, accompanied by a Statement in Duplicate, in the annexed form, to be attached to the Accounts of that Officer.

10. The claim of a Public Servant to pension will be considered to have commenced from the period of his first permanent appointment on the Fixed Establishment, or Provisional Establishment sanctioned by Her Majesty's Government, comprised in the Schedule annexed to this Minute.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 30th January 1847.

J. E. TENNENT,
Col. Secy.

Schedule referred to in the aforegoing Minute.

Officers or Departments.	*Exceptions.*
CIVIL.	
Office of Colonial Secretary.....	The Colonial Secretary and his Assistants.
Office of Treasurer (including the Ecclesiastical Department).....	The Treasurer. The Bishop of the Diocese. The Archdeacon. The Colonial Chaplains. The Registrar of the Diocese.
Office of the Auditor General.....	The Auditor General.
Office of Civil Engineer.....	The Civil Engineer & his Assistants.
Office of Surveyor General.....	The Surveyor General and his Assistants.
Office of Commissioner of Roads.....	The Commissioner of Roads and his Assistants.
Office of Principal Civil Medical Officer	The Principal Civil Medical Officer and the Superintendents of Vaccination.

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Office of Superintendent of the Royal Botanic Garden at Peradenia.....	The Superintendent.
Office of Master Attendant	The Masters Attendant.
The Govt. Steam Packet *Seaforth*.....	The Commander. The Engineer and his Assistant. The Boiler Maker.
Offices of Government Agents (including the Education Department).....	The Government Agents and their Assistants. The Superintendent of the Manufacture of Salt at Putlam. The Secretary of the Central School Commission. The Inspector of Schools. The Principal of the Colombo Academy. The Mathematical Teacher of do. The Classical Teacher of do. The Teacher of Drawing and Design of do. The Head Master of the Model School of do. The Rector of the Native Normal Seminary. The Head Master of the Central School of Colombo. The Head Master of the Central and Normal Schools of Galle. The Head Master of the Central and Normal Schools of Kandy.
The Customs' Department.....	Officers holding Commissions from the Lords of the Treasury.
The Post Office Department.....	The Postmaster General.
The Supreme Court.....	The Judges and their Private Secretaries The Registrar. The Advocate for Prisoners.
Office of Queen's Advocate.....	The Queen's Advocate. The Deputies to the Queen's Advocate.
Office of Deputy Queen's Advocate....	The Deputy Queen's Advocate.
The District Courts.....	The District Judges.
The Courts of Requests.....	The Commissioners.
The Police Courts.....	The Police Magistrates.
Offices of Fiscals.....	The Fiscals.
Offices of Superintendents of Police....	The Superintendents.
Office of Commissioner of the Loan Board.	The Commissioner.

MILITARY.

Office of Assistant Military Secretary....	The Assistant Military Secretary.
Office of Deputy Adjutant General....	The Deputy Adjutant General.
Office of Deputy Quarter Master General	The Deputy Quarter Master General.
Office of Principal Medical Officer....	The Deputy Inspector General of Hospitals. The Army Medical Staff.
Office of Commanding Royal Engineer	The Commanding Royal Engineers and their Assistants.
Garrison Staff Offices.....	The Commandants. The Staff Officers. The Superintendents of Military Prisoners.
Office of Deputy Commissary General,	The Deputy Commissary General and the Assistants.

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STATEMENT of Abatements made from the Salaries of Persons on the Fixed Establishment* of the Colonial Secretary under the Governor's Minute of the 30th January 1847, for the month of 18 .

Name.	*Situation.*	*Monthly Salary.*	*Rate of Abatement.*	*Monthly Deduction*
		Total of Deductions remitted £		

(*Date.*)

(*Signature of the Head of the Department.*)

* *Add, if necessary,* any Provisional Establishment sanctioned by Her Majesty's Government.

MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

WITH reference to the Minute of 8th September last, establishing a classification of the Salaries of the Masters of the superior Schools in this Colony, with a scale of periodical augmentations, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to notify that the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State has sanctioned the addition of the following teachers as a Fourth Class to that Minute.

Teacher of the Female Seminary at Colombo .... £200 ..... } With an annual augmentation of .. £10
Do. of Consistorial Girls' School at Colombo .... £200 ..... } till it reaches £300.

Do. of Government School at Matura.... £150 ..... } With an annual augmentation of .. £10 till it reaches £250.

These increases will commence to be reckoned from the 1st instant.

The Secretary of State has also been pleased to authorise these ladies being admitted to the benefit of the Pension Scheme established by the Minute of the 28th August 1846.

By His Excellency's Command.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 31st July 1848.

J. EMERSON TENNENT,
Col. Secretary.

MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR having received instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State, modifying in certain respects the rules under which Pensions to Public Officers of this Colony are now regulated, under the Minutes of the 3d July 1845, 28th August and 5th December 1846, and 30th January 1847, has directed that the same be published for general information.

1. In assigning superannuation or retiring allowances according to the scales specified in the above Minutes, the increased rates of allowance authorised by those scales after periods of five years' service shall not take effect immediately after the completion of each period; but the authorised rate shall be apportioned according as the service might exceed such completion and approach the next period of increase. Thus, for example, upon a Salary of £120 per annum the maximum allowance authorised by the Minutes after a service of twenty and not exceeding twenty-five years being 5-12ths or £50, the increase of £10 shall be

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distributed by annual apportionments between the twentieth and twenty-fifth years of service as follows:

Service	20	years	Allowance	£42
,,	21	,,	,,	44
,,	22	,,	,,	46
,,	23	,,	,,	48
,,	24	,,	,,	50

and in like manner the Minutes authorising the allowance of 6-12th or £60 for service from twenty-five to thirty years, the apportionment shall be

For	25	years	£52
	26	,,	54
	27	,,	56
	28	,,	58
	29	,,	60

and in the same ratio with reference to longer or shorter service.

2. Should the term of service not warrant the assignment of an annual allowance, a gratuity may be granted after the rate of one month's salary for each year of service.

3. The apportioned rates above-mentioned, giving the maximum allowance for the last year of each period to which the scales of the Minutes are adapted, are however only to be granted in cases of decidedly faithful and meritorious service; but where the testimony as to fidelity, diligence and merit, is in any respect defective, a deduction will be made from the apportioned rate, either of one-fifth or of greater or less amount; or the grant of allowance will be altogether withheld, where there has been obvious negligence, irregularity or misconduct.

4. But in cases of special merit, it will remain open to Her Majesty's Government to award the maximum allowance warranted by the scales of the Minutes to the shortest terms of service, or to give such extraordinary recompense as they may deem expedient.

5. The services in respect of which superannuations are granted, ought in all cases to have been continuous, unless interrupted by reduction of office, or other temporary suspension of employment, not arising from misconduct, or voluntary resignation of the party.

6. In case of suspension of employment on reduction or abolition of office, temporary allowances may be assigned according to the above rules; on condition however that the parties receiving the same will be liable to be recalled into service, and with the understanding that they are to be re-employed as opportunity may offer, in preference to new applicants for office.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. Emerson Tennent,
Col. Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 12th September, 1849.

MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

With reference to the 12th clause of the Minute of the 3rd July, 1845, directing that an abatement at the rate of Five per cent, should be made from the salary of every Civil Servant whose claim to Pension was thereby established, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to direct, under instructions from the Right Hon'ble The Secretary of State, that from and after the first January next, in the case of Officers holding acting appointments, and drawing half of the salary of their fixed office, and half of that of their acting appointment, such abatement shall in future be paid on the amount of the salary actually received by them, instead of on the full salary of their fixed office, as has hitherto been the practice; and that officers absent on leave, shall also in future pay abatement at the above rate, on the half salary received by them.

His Excellency has further to announce, that in the case of all Officers hereafter appointed to the Public Service, taking leave of absence in the regular manner, with abatement of salary, the period of service upon which their superannuation allowance will be calculated, will be at the rate of one month for every two months of such leave.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. J. MacCarthy,
Col. Secy.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 1st September, 1852.

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Examinations in Native Languages.

MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

I HAVE had under my consideration the mode of examining parties desiring to pass an Examination in the Native Languages.

2. It appears to me, that some fixed Rules should be established, defining the nature of the Examination required to be undergone. I therefore propose the following.

3. The Student should be required to translate from two or three of the following works:

In Singhalese.—The Bala Prabhodena.
Histories published by the School Commission.
The Singhalese Regulations of Government.
The Dampiyawa—translated from the Pali.
The Pansiye Panas Jateka.
The Tupawansa.
The Rajawallea.

In Tamil.—The Neethe Venpa.
The Kural.
The Thesavalame or Country Law of Jaffna.
Simon Casie Chitty's Tamil Version of Turnour's Epitome of the History of Ceylon.
The Calladakam.
The Government Ordinances.
The Kambaramayanum.
The Barathum.

4. Translations should also be made from written Olas given by the examiners, also translations of some Cutcherry Papers, of some Leases, Mortgage or other Legal Documents, being usual in the Proceedings of Courts of Justice.

5. All Translations should be fairly written, sealed and sent to the Colonial Secretary.

6. The Student should then be required to translate a Fable from English into Singhalese or Tamil, as the case may be, and to translate part of an Ordinance.

7. The Student should be able to write the Native character well and with fluency.

8. He should be able to write Letters and Orders in the Native language on Judicial and Revenue matters.

9. The Student should be able to read with ease original communications from Headman and Government Officers, on all Revenue matters, and on all Judicial Reports. Selections from each should be made for this purpose by the examiners.

10. The Student should shew a knowledge of the Grammar of the Language, and be able to parse in it.

11. The Student should be able to converse perfectly and fluently in the Language in which he is examined.

12. I further propose that the Examination should take place half-yearly in the middle of January and the middle of July.

13. That a Board of Examiners should be appointed, consisting of two European Gentlemen, one an Officer of Government, two Native Gentlemen, and a President to be named by the Governor.

The Board should declare whether they consider the Student qualified for the Public Service, and give the character of the Examination passed.

Pavilion, Kandy, May 27th, 1852. G. W. ANDERSON.

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MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

On the recommendation of the Board of Examiners, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to sanction the following modifications of the Rules laid down in the Minute of the 27th May, 1852, for the Examination of Candidates in the Native Languages.

There will in future be two Examinations: the first to qualify the successful Candidates for holding a first appointment in the Public Service; the second to qualify him for promotion.

At the first Examination, the Candidates will be required to speak with fluency the colloquial language, to read and explain the printed books published by the School Commission, to read and write such documents as are received into, and issued from Cutcherries, and to understand such Notarial or other Deeds as are commonly produced in Evidence in Courts of Justice.

The reading of the Classical books, a knowledge of Grammar, and Translating from English Authors into Singhalese or Tamil, and of Government Ordinances, whether from English into the Native Languages, or *vice versa*, will form the subjects of a second Examination; which will not be held until twelve months after the first.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 15th, 1853.

C. J. MACCARTHY,
Col. Secy.

MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

With reference to the Minute of the 18th December, 1852, notifying the transfer of the Customs Establishment of this Colony to the local Government from the 6th January last, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to announce that the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State has directed the incorporation into the Civil Service of this Colony of the following Officers of the Customs Department, who will reckon their rank from the date at which they were first appointed to the Public Service, viz.

F. SAUNDERS, Esq., Principal Collector of Customs - -	February, 1823.
G. VANE, Esq, Depy. Collector & Landing Surveyor at Colombo	12th August 1834.
D. J. RONAYNE, Esq., Collector of Customs for the Southern Province.	March, 1840.
P. F. FLANDERKA, Esq., Asst. Collector & Landing Surveyor at Jaffna	6th Jan 1845.
F. B. STEPHEN, Esq, Landing and Tide Surveyor at Galle -	January, 1840.
G. GUN, Esq., Sub-Collector and Landing Surveyor at Trincomalie	1st May, 1853.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 9th, 1853.

E. RAWDON POWER,
Asst. Col. Secy.

MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

1. Under Instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to notify, that Writers on the Civil Establishment of this Colony will in future date the commencement of their Civil Service, from the period at which they may obtain the Certificate required by the 19th clause of the Minute of the 14th February, 1845, as to their general attainments and proficiency in the Native Languages, and as to their competency to fill an appointment in the Service.

2. From the same period also they will date the commencement of their claim to Pension.

3. The practice at present in force of Writers paying their contributions to the Pension Fund from the date of their appointment as Writers is to be discontinued; and such contribution will in future commence from the date of their obtaining the Certificate referred to in the first clause of this Minute.

4. The Secretary of State has been pleased to direct the adoption of the above Rules respecting the commencement of the Civil Service of Writers, and of their consequent claim on the Pension Fund, in the hope that it will act beneficially in encouraging young gentlemen nominated to Writerships, in more speedily acquiring the knowledge necessary to qualify them for the duties they may be called upon to perform.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 30th July, 1853.

C. J. MACCARTHY,
Col. Secy.

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List of the Staff and Officers of the Corps serving in Ceylon.

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Captain Forster 62d Foot, *Asst. Military Secretary.*
Captain Bews, C. R. Regiment, *Actg. Asst. Military Secretary.*
Bt. Lieut. Colonel Brunker, 15th Foot, *Deputy Adjutant General.*
Bt. Lieut. Colonel Garvock, 31st Foot, *Assistant Quarter Master General.*

Lieut. Luxmore, 37th Foot, *Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.*

MEDICAL STAFF.

Dep. Inspector Gen. of Hospitals	A. Fergusson, M. D.	*Colombo.*
Staff Surgeon 1st Class	E. Bradford	*Kandy.*
Staff Surgeon 2nd Class	W. H. Fairbairn, M. D.	*Trincomalie.*
Staff Surgeon 2nd Class	H. L. Cowen	*Galle.*
Staff Assistant Surgeon	J. Irvine, M. D.	*Colombo.*
Ditto	J. C. Hoffman, M. D.	*Jaffna.*
Ditto	F. Cogan	*Hambantotte.*
Ditto	J. Sinclair	*Trincomalie.*

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Rank.	*Stations and Names.*
	COLOMBO DISTRICT.
Commanding the Fortress of Colombo	Major General J. Fraser, Dep. Quarter Master Genl.
Staff Officer	Major A. Watson—Unattached.
	PUTLAM.
Commandant	2nd Lieut. W. Pollock, Ceylon Rifle Regiment.
	TRINCOMALIE DISTRICT.
Commanding the District	Bt. Lieut.-Colonel P. B. Reyne, Ceylon Rifle Regt.
Staff Officer	Capt. R. R. Pelly, 37th Regiment.
	JAFFNAPATAM.
Commandant	Captain G. R. Campsie, Ceylon Rifle Regiment.
	GALLE DISTRICT.
Commanding the District	Bt. Major T. Lillie, C. R. Regiment.
Staff Officer	Captain J. M. Macdonald, C. R. Regiment.
	HAMBANTOTTE.
Commandant	Lieut. M. Ward, Ceylon Rifle Regiment.

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Commanding the Interior, Bt. Colonel Dames, 37th Regiment.
Staff Officer at Kandy, Captain Bedford, 37th Regiment.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Stations.*
	OUVAH.	
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MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Stations.*
Dy. Inspr. Gl. of Hospitals	A. Fergusson, M.D. 1*l.*10*s.* per diem	*Colombo.*
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Staff Surgeon 2nd Class	H. L. Cowen, 13*s.*	*Galle.*
Staff Asst. Surg.	J. Irvine. M. D. 7*s.* 6*d.*	*Colombo.*
ditto	J. C. Hoffman, M. D. 7*s.* 6*d.*	*Jaffna.*
ditto	F. Cogan, 7*s.* 6*d.*	*Hambantotte.*
ditto	J. Sinclair 7*s.* 6*d.*	*Trincomalie.*

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

Name.	*Rank in the Regiment.*	*Rank in the Army.*	*Remarks.*
Lt. Colonel.			
C. B. Symons	22d Dec. 50	Bt. Colonel	
Captains.			
P. R. Cocks	9th June 44		Trincomalie.
W. T. Barnett	6th July 51		Trincomalie.
Lieutenants.			
A. Seivewright	30th June 48		Asst. Rl. Engr. Dept.
1st Lt. F. N. Cromartie	31st Dec. 52		Colombo.
1st Lt. R. H. Newbold			Trincomalie.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Lieut. Colonel.			
J. J. Hope			Commg. Rl. Engrs.
Captain.			
C. Sim	5th July 51		Acting Surveyor Genl.
Lieutenants.			
H. Schaw	2d Feb. 48		*Kandy.*
W. C. Phillpotts	6th Dec. 51		*Galle.*
A. W. Durnford	17th Feb. 54		*Trincomalie.*

CIVIL BRANCH OF THE ORDNANCE.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Remarks.*
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37TH (NORTH HAMPSHIRE) REGIMENT.—*(Head Quarters, Kandy.)*

Minden—Tourney—Peninsula.

Names.	*Rank in the Regiment.*		*Rank in the Army.*		*Remarks.*
Colonel.					
W. Smelt, C. B. Lt. Genl.	11th April	51			
Lieut. Colonels.					
F. Skelly, Bt. Col.	3d Sept.	47			
E.C.W,M.Milman,Bt. Col.	30th Nov.	49	7th April	48	
Majors.					
G. W. Francklyn, B.Lt.Col.	27th Augt.	41	.....		*On leave to England.*
W. L. Dames, Bt. Col.	23rd July	54	.....		*Commandant, Kandy.*
Captains.					
J. O. Lewis, Bt. Major	29th Oct.	41	.....		*On leave to England.*
E. D. Atkinson *d.*	20th Feb.	46			[*Mauritius.*
A. M A. Bowers *s*	26th June	„	.....		*Aide de Camp to Governor of*
H. M. Sall	11th May	49	12th Sept.	48	*Commandant, Nuwera Ellia.*
R. P. Harrison	8th Feb.	50			
R. R. Pelly	7th June	50	.....		*Staff Officer, Trincomalie.*
L. H. Bedford	8th March	50	.....		*Staff Officer of Kandy.*
J. L. Clutterbuck	12th Oct.	52	.....		*On leave to England.*
J. Jones	16th June	53			
J W. Bossier	13th Dec.	„			
W. J. Bazalgette	6th June	54	.....		*On leave to England.*
J. R. Heaton	24th Feb.	48			
Lieutenants.					
C. Luxmore	1st May	46	.....		*Aide-de-Camp to the Lieutenant-*
J. H. Wyatt	26th June	„			*Governor.*
E. J. N. Burton	20th Nov.	„	.....		*On leave to England.*
J. Brown	9th Jan.	49	1st Aug.	48	
T. Jackson	1st Aug.	49			
W. Baker	12th Oct.	52			
R. Taylor	5th May	53			
R. W. Webb	1st July	53	.....		*On leave to England.*
J. D. Collum	8th July	53			
G. W. Savage	13th Sep.	53			
W. H. Henzell	8th June	54			
E. A. Anderson *d*	Do.				
C. E. A. Evered	11th Aug.	„			
F. J. N. Ind	23rd Aug.	„			
Ensigns.					
E. R. B. Barnes	24th June	53			
G. S. Gubbins	8th July	53			
S. L. Curgenven	9th do.	„			
B. Reece	13th Sep.	53			
J. F. Reyne	6th June	54			
G. Bageuall	21st July	„			
E. Beikett *d*	23rd Aug.	„			
Paymaster.					
G. M. Ross	27th Dec.	50	4th Sept,	49	
Adjutant.					
R. Bunn	13th Sept.	53			
Quarter Master					
W. Crutchley	13th Sep.	53			
Surgeon.					
J. C. Cameron, M. D.	2d Aug.	50	15th April	44	
Asst. Surgeons.					
J. W. Fleming	27th Oct.	46	.....		*On leave to England.*
A. Smith, M. D.	22d Nov.	50			

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CEYLON RIFLE REGIMENT—*(Head-Quarters Colombo.)*

Names.	*Rank in the Regiment.*		*Rank in the Army.*		*Remarks.*
Lieut. Colonel.					
S. Braybrooke, Bt. Col.	26 Jan.	1844	7 Jan.	42	*On leave to England*
Majors.					
P. B. Reyne, Bt. Lt. Col.	20 June	45	9 Nov.	41	*Commandant of Trincomalie.*
W. T. Layard	28 Sept.	47			
Captains.					
T. Lillie, B. M.	8 Nov.	39	7 Dec.	38	*Commandant, Galle.*
J. M. Macdonald	9 Oct.	42	.....		*Staff Officer, Galle.*
E. J. Holworthy	17 Oct.	,,			
G. R. Campsie	8 Jany.	47	.....		*Commandant of Jaffna.*
B. B. Keane	8 ,,	,,	.....		*On leave to England.*
R. Watson	2 March	,,			
W. C. Vanderspar	28 Sept.	,,			
C. T. Clement	25 Oct.	49			
D. D. Graham	15 Nov.	50	.....		*Commandant of Badulla.*
H. J. Bews	12th Sept	51	.....		*Acting Asst. Mily. Secy.*
L. Hook	21 May	52			
C. C. Durnford	30 July	52			
E. F. Tranchell	28 June	53			
M. H. Oldfield	13 March	54			
Lieutenants.					
J. A. Fraser	8 Augt.	45			
D. Stewart	1 May	,,	11 Nov.	45	*On leave to New South Wales.*
C. G. D. Annesley	8 Jan.	47	11 Oct.	45	*On leave to England.*
S. Sharpe	8 ,,	,,			
W. R. Gray	8 ,,	,,	.....		*On leave to England.*
G. A. Tranchell	9 ,,	,,			
A. J. D. Smith	28 Sept	47	.....		*Asst. Commy. Trincomalie.*
C. C. Grantham	23 Oct.	47	.....		*On leave to England.*
M. Ward	7 July	48	.....		*Commandant, Hambantotte.*
W. J. Gorman, Adjt.	12 Sept.	51			
R. H. Brook	13 Sept.	51			
A. M. Rutherford	30 July	52			
W. H. Long	12 Oct.	52			
R. S. C. Sillery	26 Nov.	52			*Employed under the Commissioner of Roads.*
R. C. Watson	21 Sept.	54			
2d Lieutenants.					
J. C. Fielding	10 April	,,			
I. F. Kennedy	18 May	,,			
G. M. Parsons	7 Oct.	51	.....		*Employed in the Government Stamping Department.*
J. Meaden	27 Feb.	52			
W. Pollock	30 July	52	.....		*Commandant of Putlam.*
H. E. Watson	17 Dec.	52			
J. C. Conniugton	18 ,,	,,			
S. H. Hobbs	19 ,,	,,			
G. E Francis	22 April	53			
F. Ball	21st Oct.	,,			
J. T. Gould	13 Dec.	,,			
R. B. Henderson	20 Jany.	54			
T. G. Harvey	18 Oct.	,,			

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CEYLON RIFLE REGIMENT.—*Continued.*

Names.	*Rank in the Regiment.*		*Army.*		*Remarks.*
Paymaster.					
H. Dudley	5 March	52			
Adjutant.					
W. J. Gorman.	21 Sept.	54	Lt. 12 Sep.	51	
Quarter Master.					
T. Miller	8 July	53	11 Feb.	48	
Surgeon.					
J. Stuart	22 Dec.	43	....		*On leave to England.*
Asst. Surgeons.					
J. M. A. T. Croft	21 March	51	28 Aug.	46	*England.*
J. J. Thompson	14 July	54			

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Name.	*Date of Appointment.*		*Rank in the Army.*	*Remarks.*
Lieut. C. Luxmore	23 Jan.	55		

CEYLON GUN LASCAR CORPS.

Lieut. J. Robertson	14 Oct.	41	*Adjutant.*	

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Lieutenant	1190	550	632 13 4
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SCHEDULE OF ISLAND ALLOWANCES drawn by OFFICERS.

TABLE 1.—OFFICERS doing duty in the Island.

REGIMENTAL.	*Amount per month.* £	s.	d.	
Colonel	45	9	0	
Lieutenant-Colonel	32	2	0	
Major	23	19	0	
Captain	13	16	0	
Lieutenant	8	5	0	
Second do. or Ensign	6	6	0	
Paymaster	13	16	0	
Surgeon	17	10	0	
Assistant-Surgeon	12	10	0	
Adjutant	10	4	0	
Quarter-Master	10	4	0	
Additional Allowances to Officers in command of Corps.				
Colonel	5	4	0	
Lieutenant Colonel	5	4	0	
Major	8	3	0	
Captain	10	4	0	
Lieutenant	5	11	0	
Additional Allowances to Officers in command of Garrisons, with the exception of Colombo, Trincomalie Kandy & Galle.				
Colonel	29	11	0	*The allowance attached to the Commandants of Trincomalie Kandy and Galle, is 10s. a day. The fixed allowance for the Commandant of Colombo, viz. 29l. 11s., ceased from 1st November, 1832.*
Lieutenant-Colonel	8	18	0	
Major	6	14	0	
Captain	3	19	6	
Lieutenant	2	14	0	
Second do. or Ensign	2	0	6	
General and Medical Staff.				
Major-General	83	6	8	
Deputy Quarter-Master General being Col.	22	14	6	
Dep. Adjt. General———Lieut. Col.	16	1	0	*In addition to the Regimental allowance, being regulated by making the addition equal to one half of the Regimental allowance of the Officer. To Aides-de-camp and Asst. Military Secretary, if Subalterns, the Staff and Island allowances of a Captain are granted.*
Assistant Military Secretary————	6	18	0	
Aide-de-Camp to the Governor—Whether Captains	6	18	0	
Do. to the General Officer or Subalterns.	6	18	0	
Dep. Inspector General of Hospitals *	48	3	0	
Staff Surgeon 1st Class	27	0	0	
Staff Surgeon 2nd Class	17	10	0	
Staff Assistant Surgeons	12	10	0	

* Being the Island Allowance of a Lieutenant Colonel, and half the Island Allowance of that rank as head of the Medical Department.

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TABLE II.—OFFICERS relieved and ceasing to do duty in CEYLON, from the date of their relief, to that of their embarkation.

	Amount per month.		
	£	*s.*	*d.*
Colonel	22	14	6
Inspector General of Hospitals	22	14	6
Lieut.-Colonel	16	1	0
Depy. Inspcr. General of Hospitals	16	1	0
Staff Surgeon 1st Class	13	15	0
Major	11	19	6
Staff Surgeon 2nd Class	11	13	4
Surgeon	11	13	4
Captain or Paymaster	9	4	0
Assistant Surgeon	8	6	8
Adjutant	6	16	0
Lieutenant	5	10	0
Quarter Master	5	10	0
Ensign	4	4	0

These allowances are not granted for any period beyond the termination of the month next after that in which such Officers shall have ceased to perform duty.

STAFF.

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

	£	*s.*	*d.*
Commissary General	4	14	11
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Assistant Commissary General	„	14	3
Deputy Assistant Commissary General	„	9	6

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	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*
Inspector General.	2	0	0	1	18	0	1	16	0		—	
Depy. Inspector General	1	10	0	1	8	0	1	4	0		—	
Staff Surgeon	1	4	0	1	2	0	0	19	0		—	
Regimental Surgeon and Staff Surgeon 2d Class.	1	2	0	0	19	0	0	15	0	0	13	0
Assistant Surgeon.	0	10	0	0	10	0	0	10	0	0	7	6

N.B.—A Medical Officer hereafter promoted will be required to serve upon the minimum Pay of his new rank *One year*, if he was in the Medical department prior to 29th July 1830; and *Two years*, if he received his first Medical Commission subsequently to that date, unless he had higher pay in his old rank than such minimum, in which case he must serve the above period upon that rate of pay which may be next above his former pay, before he can receive any increase.

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Ranks.	Life Guards and Horse Guards.			Dragoon Guards and Dragoons.			Foot Guards.			Foot			Royal Artillery. Horse Brigade.			Royal Artillery. Foot.			Royal Engineers.			Royal Marines.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Colonel Commandant		—			—			—			—		3	„	„	2	14	9½	2	14	9½	1	18	6
Colonel		—			—			—			—		1	12	4	1	6	3	1	6	3		—	
Colonel, 2d Commandant		—			—			—			—			—			—			—		1	„	„
Lieutenant-Colonel	1	9	2	1	3	„	1	6	9	„	17	„	1	7	1	„	18	1	„	18	1	}	„	17	„
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Major	1	4	5	„	19	3	1	3	„	„	16	„		—			—			—			—		
Captain	„	15	1	„	14	7	„	15	6	„	11	7	„	16	1	„	11	1	„	11	1	{	„	11	7§
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Do. having higher rank by Brevet		—			—			—		„	13	7	„	18	1	„	13	1	„	13	1	{	„	13	7§
																						{	„	12	6‖
Lieutenant	„	10	4	„	9	„	„	7	4	„	6	6	„	9	10	„	6	10	„	6	10		„	6	6
Do. after 7 years' service		—			—			—		„	7	6	„	10	10	„	7	10	„	7	10		„	7	6
Cornet, Ensign and 2d Lieutenant	„	8	„	„	8	„	„	5	6	„	5	3		—		„	5	7	„	5	7		„	5	3
Paymaster:																									
On Appointment		—		„	12	6		—		„	12	6		—			—			—		{			
After 5 years' service		—		„	15	„		—		„	15	„		—			—			—			per annum		
15 ditto		—		„	17	6		—		„	17	6		—			—			—			300*l.*		
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25 ditto		—		1	2	6		—		1	2	6		—			—			—		{			
Adjutant	„	13	„		**		„	10	„		††		†„	10	„	‡„	8	6	„	10	„		„	6	6¶

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COURT OF DIRECTORS IN LONDON.

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Branches at HongKong, Mauritius, Melbourne and Sydney.

Agencies at Bombay, Calcutta, Madras, Singapore, Canton and Shanghai.

Principles of business, as adapted to Ceylon.

DEPOSITS.

The Bank will receive money in deposit at Interest in sums not under £20 in three Classes, viz:—

1.—"Fixed Deposits," bearing Interest to the date of repayment and not withdrawable without thirty days' notice.

2.—"Fixed Deposits," bearing Interest to the date of repayment and not withdrawable without sixty days' notice.

3.—"Current Deposits Account," bearing Interest on all balances exceeding £100, remaining in the Account at the close of each day's transactions, to be operated upon by Cheques at the convenience of the customer.

INVESTMENTS.

The Bank will lend money either in Cash Credit Account, or fixed Loans not exceeding 4 months, on the following securities.

Class 1st.—Deposit of Government Securities, Bullion, or shares in approved Public Companies.

Class 2nd.—On Goods not of a perishable nature, protected by Fire Insurance, of Goods shipped for importation into Ceylon—Adjusted Policies of Insurance of Public Companies—Joint Bonds with two approved Securities—and Acceptances and Promissory Notes bearing two approved names, and representing bonâ fide transactions.

DISCOUNT.

The Bank will discount private Bills and Notes bearing at least two approved names (unconnected with each other in general partnership,) and not having more than four months to run.

AGENCY.

The Bank will act as Agents for the purchase and sale of Investments in the Loans of the East India Company, and other Public Securities in India and elsewhere.

RATES OF INTEREST DISCOUNT COMMISSION.

Interest allowed by the Bank.

1st.—On fixed deposits at 30 days' notice . . . . . 3 per cent.
2nd.—On fixed deposits at 60 days' notice . . . . . 4 per cent.
3rd.—On current deposit accounts to be operated upon at pleasure on all balances of £100 and upwards . . . . . 1½ per cent.

EXCHANGE.

The Bank's rate for purchase and sales of Bills on England and the different Presidencies, are constantly exhibited in the Public Office, and are inserted once every week in each of the public Journals.

On purchase or sale of investments in Public Securities and on other special acts of Agency . . . . . ½ per cent.
On remittance to Kandy or Galle . . . . . ½ per cent.

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MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA.

HEAD OFFICE BOMBAY.

Capital Rs. 50,00,000 (£500,000 Sterling), with power to increase. In 20,000 shares, of Rs. 250 (£25 each.)

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London Bankers.—London Joint Stock Bank.

Head Office Bombay.—George Palmer Robinson, Manager.

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BRANCHES AND AGENCIES.

In India:—
Calcutta—Daivid Trail Robertson, Agent.
Madras—Ouchterlony & Co. Agents.
Cochin—R. Cheyne, Agent.
Colombo—Evan Ormiston, Manager.
H. D. Andree, Accountant.
Kandy—R. C. Walker, Agent.
Galle—Alexander Reid & Co. Agents.
In China:—
Canton—John Costerton, Agent.
Walter Ormiston, Sub-Agent.
Shanghai—Richard Newby, Agent.
J. Ouseley, Sub-Agent.

Business conducted at the Colombo Branch on the following terms.

Interest allowed ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

When the balance at the close of each day's transaction shall not be less than £100, 1½ per cent. per annum.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS.

For 60 days ..... at the rate of 4 per Cent per Annum.
„ 3 Months ..... „ 5 „ „
„ 6 Months ..... „ 6 „ „

CASH CREDITS

Are granted on approved securities; interest charged at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum.

DISCOUNTS

Of approved bills made to parties keeping accounts with the Bank.

RATES CHARGED.

Under two months ....8 per cent. per annum.
Over two months and not exceeding four months...9 per cent. per annum.

FIXED LOANS.

Are granted on the deposit of Shipping Documents accompanied by Policies of Insurance, adjusted and accepted Policies of Insurance, on Government, East India, or other approved Securities.

AGENCY.

The Bank will act as Agents for the purchase or sale of Government or other Securities, the collection of Bills, &c., in any of the towns where it has Establishments; Commission charged upon same being half per cent.

EXCHANGE.

Bills on England, India and China, purchased or sold at the advertised rates in the Local Newspapers.

CIRCULAR NOTES for the accommodation of parties travelling through Egypt, Turkey, the Continent of Europe, and the Australian Colonies, are granted by this Bank payable in any of the principal towns in those countries:

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CEYLON SAVINGS' BANK.

Opened 5th August, 1832.

This Bank is opened for the purpose of receiving Deposits and transacting business between the hours of 12 and 3 in the afternoon on the 1st and 3rd Monday of every month, and in case of extra business, on the 2nd and 4th Monday from 1 to 3.

TRUSTEES:

The Hon'ble W. C. Gibson, Esq.—C. P. Layard, Esq., and Henry Dudley, Esq.

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Actuary.—J. Piachaud, Esq.

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W. D. Wright, Esq.
Major T. Lillie.

Newera-Ellia.
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Captain D. Graham, C.R.R.

Matelle.
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Anaradhapoora.
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Kaigalle.
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Kornegalle.
The Assistant Government Agent.

Negombo.
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D. L. Perera, Modliar.

Calpentyn.
The Commr. of the Court of Requests.

Puttam.
W. Morris, Esq.

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J. L. Vanderspaar, Esq.

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The Assistant Government Agent.
W. Pole, Esq.

Hambantotte.
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Trincomalie.
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R. Atherton, Esq.

Batticaloa.
J. Morphew, Esq.

Manaar.
The Assistant Government Agent.
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LOAN OFFICE.

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Registrar to the Supreme Court,
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EAGLE INSURANCE COMPANY.

OFFICE, 3, CRESCENT, BRIDGE-STREET, BLACKFRIARS, LONDON.

Deputy Chairman—Walter Anderson Peacock, Esq.

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Medical Adviser—J. C. Cameron, Esq., M. D.

Rates of Insurance per cent. per annum for the East Indies and Ceylon.

CIVIL SERVICE.						MILITARY SERVICE.					
Age.	Seven Years, or any less term.			For Life.		Age.	Seven Years, or any less term.			For Life.	
20	3	18	2	4	4	9	20	4	8	2	4	18	4
21	3	18	2	4	5	4	21	4	8	2	4	18	11
22	3	18	2	4	6	0	22	4	8	2	4	19	7
23	3	18	2	4	6	9	23	4	8	2	5	0	4
24	3	18	2	4	7	6	24	4	8	2	5	1	1
25	3	18	2	4	8	4	25	4	8	2	5	1	11
26	3	18	2	4	9	2	26	4	8	2	5	2	9
27	3	19	0	4	10	0	27	4	9	0	5	3	7
28	3	19	0	4	11	0	28	4	9	0	5	4	7
29	3	19	0	4	12	0	29	4	9	0	5	5	7
30	3	19	0	4	13	6	30	4	9	0	5	7	1
31	3	19	0	4	15	0	31	4	9	0	5	8	7
32	3	19	0	4	16	6	32	4	9	0	5	10	1
33	3	19	6	4	18	0	33	4	9	6	5	11	7
34	3	19	6	4	19	6	34	4	9	6	5	13	1
35	4	0	0	5	1	6	35	4	10	6	5	15	0
36	4	0	6	5	4	0	36	4	10	6	5	17	6
37	4	1	6	5	6	6	37	4	11	6	6	0	1
38	4	2	6	5	8	9	38	4	12	6	6	2	4
39	4	3	6	5	11	3	39	4	13	6	6	4	10
40	4	4	6	5	13	9	40	4	14	6	6	7	4
41	4	5	6	5	16	6	41	4	15	6	6	10	1
42	4	6	6	5	19	6	42	4	16	6	6	13	6
43	4	7	6	5	2	6	43	4	17	6	6	16	6
44	4	8	6	6	6	3	44	4	18	6	6	19	10
45	4	10	0	6	10	9	45	5	0	0	7	4	4
46	4	12	0	6	15	3	46	5	2	0	7	8	10
47	4	16	0	7	0	6	47	5	6	0	7	14	1
48	5	0	0	7	5	9	48	5	10	0	7	19	4
49	5	4	0	7	9	9	49	5	14	0	8	3	4
50	5	8	0	7	15	6	50	5	18	0	8	9	1
51	5	13	0	8	1	3	51	6	3	0	8	14	10
52	5	18	0	8	7	6	52	6	8	0	9	1	1
53	6	3	0	8	14	3	53	6	13	0	9	7	10
54	6	8	0	9	1	6	54	6	18	0	9	15	1
55	6	13	0	9	9	3	55	7	3	0	10	0	10
56	6	18	0	9	17	6	56	7	8	0	10	11	1
57	7	3	0	10	6	3	57	7	13	0	10	19	10
58	7	9	0	10	15	6	58	7	19	0	11	9	1
59	7	15	3	11	5	3	59	8	5	3	11	8	10
60	8	1	9	11	15	6	60	8	11	9	12	9	1

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THE COLONIAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, £1,000,000.

THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF ELGIN AND KINCARDINE,

GOVERNOR GENERAL OF CANADA—GOVERNOR.

Head Office—*Edinburgh*, 5, *George Street.*

W. T. Thompson, Esq.—*Actuary.* | H. J. Williams, Esq.—*Secretary.*

Registered under Act of Parliament 7 and 8 Vict., cap. 110.

CEYLON BRANCH.—BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Henry Ritchie, Esq.
Binny Scott, Esq.
R. F. Morgan, Esq.
R. Nicol, Esq.
J. M. Robertson, Esq.

Dr. F. W. Willisford—*Medical Adviser.*

Rates of Premium for the Assurance of £100, *with and without Profits.*

CIVIL RISKS.						MILITARY * AND NAVAL RISKS.					
Age.	Annual Premium without Profits.			Annual Premium with Profits.		Age.	Annual Premium without Profits.			Annual Premium with Profits.	
	£	s.	d.	£	s. d.		£	s.	d.	£	s. d.
20	3	1	3	4	0 11	20	3	8	2	4	9 0
21	3	1	10	4	2 0	21	3	9	1	4	10 3
22	3	2	8	4	3 2	22	3	10	0	4	11 6
23	3	3	8	4	4 6	23	3	11	1	4	12 11
24	3	4	8	4	5 8	24	3	12	2	4	14 3
25	3	5	8	4	7 0	25	3	13	3	4	15 8
26	3	6	8	4	8 5	26	3	14	5	4	17 3
27	3	7	10	4	9 11	27	3	15	9	4	18 10
28	3	9	0	4	11 5	28	3	17	0	5	0 7
29	3	10	3	4	13 0	29	3	18	5	5	2 4
30	3	11	6	4	14 9	30	3	19	10	5	4 2
31	3	12	10	4	16 6	31	4	1	4	5	6 1
32	3	14	3	4	18 3	32	4	2	10	5	8 1
33	3	15	7	5	0 1	33	4	4	5	5	10 1
34	3	17	1	5	2 1	34	4	6	1	5	12 1
35	3	18	9	5	4 1	35	4	7	10	5	13 7
36	4	1	2	5	6 3	36	4	9	7	5	15 3
37	4	3	6	5	8 5	37	4	11	6	5	17 5
38	4	5	6	5	10 9	38	4	13	6	5	19 9
39	4	7	7	5	13 1	39	4	15	7	6	2 1
40	4	9	8	5	15 7	40	4	17	8	6	4 1
41	4	12	5	5	18 3	41	4	19	11	6	6 3
42	4	15	3	6	1 0	42	5	2	3	6	9 0
43	4	17	9	6	3 11	43	5	4	9	6	11 11
44	5	0	4	6	6 11	44	5	7	4	6	14 11
45	5	3	0	6	10 0	45	5	10	0	6	17 6
46	5	6	4	6	13 3	46	5	12	10	7	0 3

Under certain conditions these premiums can also be paid by half yearly, quarterly, or monthly instalments: but in the event of the death of a party in any year before a whole year's premium has been paid, the proportion remaining unpaid shall be deducted from the owner at settlement.

* Military men holding appointments of a Civil character, not requiring Military service, are charged the rates applicable to Civilians.

Persons proceeding to China, as a place of residence, are charged an additional rate of Premium.

Agents for Ceylon—Messrs. Alston Scott & Co.

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MEDICAL INVALID AND GENERAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY,

Established 1841.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

HEAD OFFICES, 25, PALL MALL, LONDON.

The Indian Branch of this Society was established in August 1851. At 1st January 1854, the polices in force on the books of the Branch were 1374 in number, insuring £803,334 10*s.* 0*d.* sterling, and yielding Annual Premiums £39,896 19*s.* 6*d.* sterling.

Annual Premiums for Assurance of £100 for the whole term of life.

Age next Birthday.	Civil.						Military.						Age next Birthday.
	With Profits.			Without Profits.			With Profits.			Without Profits.			
18	2	16	0	2	12	0	3	6	0	3	2	0	18
19	2	16	0	2	12	0	3	8	0	3	4	0	19
20	2	18	0	2	14	0	3	10	0	3	4	0	20
21	3	0	0	2	16	0	3	12	0	3	6	0	21
22	3	2	0	2	16	0	3	12	0	3	6	0	22
23	3	4	0	2	18	0	3	14	0	3	8	0	23
24	3	4	0	3	0	0	3	16	0	3	10	0	24
25	3	6	0	3	0	0	3	16	0	3	10	0	25
26	3	6	0	3	2	0	3	18	0	3	12	0	26
27	3	8	0	3	2	0	3	18	0	3	12	0	27
28	3	8	0	3	2	0	4	0	0	3	14	0	28
29	3	10	0	3	4	0	4	2	0	3	14	0	29
30	3	12	0	3	6	0	4	2	0	3	16	0	30
31	3	14	0	3	8	0	4	4	0	3	16	0	31
32	3	18	0	3	10	0	4	4	0	3	18	0	32
33	4	0	0	2	16	0	4	6	0	4	0	0	33
34	4	4	0	3	16	0	4	8	0	4	0	0	34
35	4	6	0	3	18	0	4	8	0	4	2	0	35
36	4	8	0	4	2	0	4	10	0	4	2	0	36
37	4	10	0	4	4	0	4	12	0	4	4	0	37
38	4	14	0	4	6	0	4	14	0	4	6	0	38
39	4	14	0	4	8	0	4	14	0	4	8	0	39
40	4	16	0	4	8	0	4	16	0	4	8	0	40
41	5	0	0	4	12	0	5	0	0	4	12	0	41
42	5	2	0	4	14	0	5	2	0	4	14	0	42
43	5	4	0	4	16	0	5	4	0	4	16	0	33
44	5	6	0	4	18	0	5	6	0	4	18	0	44
45	5	8	0	5	0	0	5	8	0	5	0	0	45
46	5	10	0	5	2	0	5	10	0	5	2	0	46
47	5	12	0	5	2	0	5	12	0	5	2	0	47
48	5	12	0	5	4	0	5	12	0	5	4	0	48
49	5	14	0	5	6	0	6	14	0	5	6	0	49
50	5	18	0	5	8	0	5	18	0	5	8	0	50
51	6	0	0	5	12	0	6	0	0	5	12	0	51
52	6	4	0	5	14	0	6	4	0	5	14	0	52
53	6	10	0	6	0	0	6	10	0	6	0	0	53
54	6	12	0	6	0	0	6	14	0	6	4	0	54

The above Premiums may be paid half yearly, quarterly, or monthly as may be preferred.

Agents in Ceylon.

Messrs. J. Swan & Co., Colombo.—Messrs. Pitts & Gavin, Kandy.
Mr. John Black, Point de Galle.

Medical Adviser, C. Elliott, Esq. M.R.C.S.L.

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[ESTABLISHED 25TH MARCH 1839.]

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INDIA AND LONDON LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

14, WATERLOO PLACE, PALL MALL, AND 17, CORNHILL, LONDON.

Incorporated by Act of Parliament 7 and 8 Vic. Cap. 110.

CAPITAL £250,000.

Agents for the Company in Ceylon, Messrs. Dawson Dickson and Co.
Do. do. Bombay, Messrs. Grey and Co.

THE LIVERPOOL AND LONDON FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Established in 1836.—*Empowered by special Acts of Parliament.*

OFFICES.—37, CASTLE STREET, LIVERPOOL; 20 & 21, POULTRY, LONDON; 56, WALL STREET, NEW YORK: 3, BRIDGE STREET, SYDNEY; AND ELIZABETH STREET SOUTH, MELBOURNE.

Agents in Ceylon—Messrs. Darley Butler and Co.

CONSTITUTION.

Liability of the entire body of Shareholders unlimited. All Directors must be Proprietors in the Company.

CAPITAL AND RESOURCES.

Accumulated Funds and Capital paid up in 1854:—£666,724 18*s.* 3*d.*

BUSINESS.

Insurance against Loss by Fire of Property of every description, both at home and abroad.

Property insured against Loss or Damage by Fire in the United Kingdom, the British Colonies, and in Foreign Countries.
The Premiums are moderate; the settlement of Claims liberal and prompt.
Mills and Manufactories on the usual terms.
Farming Stock insured at Three Shillings per cent.

Life Insurance in all its branches, including the endowment of Children and Adults: and the Sale and Purchase of Annuities, Reversions, and Contingent Interests.

Annuities, immediate or deferred.
Bonuses of the Company are guaranteed when the Policies are issued.
Residence in the Australian Colonies, British America, and the United States, without extra charge; the Policies are issued free of Stamp Duty.

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GREAT BRITAIN MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

14, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON.

CAPITAL £250,000.

Agents in Ceylon, Messrs. Dawson Dickson and Co.

LLOYDS' AGENTS IN CEYLON.

Messrs. A. and R. Crowe and Co., Colombo; and J. Black, Galle.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

1, OLD BROAD STREET, AND 16, PALL MALL, LONDON.

(Instituted, 1803.)

For Insuring Houses and other Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandize, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbour, or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships; also, Ships Building and Repairing; Barges and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and Canals, and Goods on board such Vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, FROM LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.

Subscribed and Invested Capital, £1,600,000.

Agents in Ceylon, Messrs. Alexander and Binny Scott & Co.

THE LONDON FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter, 1720.

Agents in Ceylon, James Swan and Co.

NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.

FOR FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE AT HOME AND ABROAD.

(Established 1836.)

Incorporated by Act of Parliament.

CAPITAL.—£1,259,760.

Agents for Ceylon—C. Shand & Co., Colombo.

Medical Adviser in Colombo—F. W. Willisford, Esq., M. D.

Agent in Kandy—A. Brown, Esq.

Agent in Galle—John Black, Esq.

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Educational.

THE CENTRAL SCHOOL COMMISSION

FOR THE INSTRUCTION OF THE POPULATION OF CEYLON.

DATE OF INSTITUTION, 27TH MARCH, 1841.

PRESIDENT.

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The RIGHT Rev. Bishop BRAVI.
The Rev. J. THURSTAN, *Colonial Chaplain.*
The Rev. J. D. PALM, *Colonial Chaplain of the Reformed Dutch Church.*
The Rev. D. J. GOGERLY, *Chairman of the Wesleyan Mission for South Ceylon.*

Inspector of Schools.—The Rev. J. BROOKE H. BAILEY.
Secretary.—J. FRASER, Esq.
Clerk.—Mr. J. D. VANDENDRIESEN.

SUB-COMMITTEES.

WESTERN PROVINCE.

Negombo.

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Caltura.

C. De Saram, Esq.—Manuel de Fonseka, Modliar.—The Rev. J. R. Parys.

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

Kandy.

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Badulla.

A. P. Werekoon, Modliar—D. J. Abeyeratne.

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Schools.	Teachers.	Annual Salary. £ s.	Annual Rent. s. d.
The Colombo Academy	Principal - Rev. B. Boake - -	640	,,
	Second Teacher E. C. Caldwell Esq. -	370	,,
	3d Master, Mr. A. De Zoysa - -	48	
Colombo Central School	Principal of the Central School of Colombo and Native Normal Institution. Revd. A. Kessen - -	500	54
	1st Asst. Teacher Mr. D. Gogerly - -	130	,,
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Native Normal Institution - - -	Head Teacher .. J. Perera -	68	,,
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	21 Native Normal Students at £6 each -	126	,,
Elementary Schools.			
St. Thomas - -	Head Teacher Mr. J. R. Blake - -	100	48
	First Asst: do. .. D. S. Perera - -	42	,,
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Galle - - -	Head Teacher .. J. E. Anthonisz - -	78	36
	Asst: do. .. J. R. Anthonisz - -	36	,,
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	Asst: do. .. G. H. Ernst - -	24	,,
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Wellicadde Jail - -	S. & E. Teacher .. Don Louis - -	36	
	Asst. do. .. A. Perera - -	10 16	,,
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Marandahn - -	Head Teacher .. C. D. Anthonisz -	42	9
	Asst. do. .. L. D. Abrew - -	18	,,
Colpetty - -	Head Teacher .. H. Perera - -	48	18
	Monitor .. B. de Alwis - -	4 10	,,
Kandane - -	Teacher .. J. F. Poulier - -	36	,,
Pantura - - -	Head Teacher .. W. Van Cuylenberg -	60	,,
	Asst: do. .. C. Pieris - -	12	,,
Wadua - - -	Head Teacher .. A. Parys - -	42	,,
Avishawelle - -	Head Teacher .. A. De Silva Jayawardene - - -	48	,,
Kaigalle - -	Head Teacher .. E. H. Goondewille -	36	,,
Ratnapoora - -	Head Teacher .. T. F. Labrooy - -	36	,,
Bentotte - -	Head Teacher .. D. De Silva Gooneratne	48	,,
	Asst: do. .. Don Abraham Wettahatchy. - -	12	,,
Hickodde - -	Teacher .. J. M. Anthonisz - -	36	,,
Galle - - -	Head Teacher .. A De Silva. Mohm. -	48	24
	First Asst: do. .. W. Anwardt . -	18	,,
	Second do. .. D. S. Wickerema -	18	,,
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Belligam - -	Teacher Mr. J. E. Jansz - -	36	7 4
Trincomalie - -	Teacher .. G. Philips - -	48	9
	Asst: .. Mylawagenem - -	18	„
Kandy - - -	Head Teacher .. C. Fonseka - -	48	„
	Asst: do. .. W. Wijeyekoon Kanangere - - -	18	„
	2nd do. .. J. Wickremesekere -	18	„
Matelle - -	Teacher .. J. M. Goonetilleke -	48	„
Gampolla - -	Teacher .. J. Mackauley - -	48	„
Rickiligaskedde - -	Teacher .. J. M. Rannesingha -	48	„
Hadenia - -	Teacher .. G. Fernando - -	48	„
Pettiagadara - -	Teacher .. J. A. Hopman - -	48	„
Nildandehina - -	Teacher .. B. B. Rannesingha -	48	„
Nawellapitie - -	Teacher .. J. Pieris - - -	48	„
Bolapay - -	Teacher .. W.D. S. Wicramasekere	48	„
Akurambodde - -	Teacher	36	
Badulla - -	Teacher .. G. Pels - -	48	15
Nuwera Ellia - -	Teacher .. A. Wijesekere - -	48	12
Calpentyn - -	Teacher .. J, Vinton - -	36	„
Chilaw - - -	Teacher .. G. J. Perera -	48	9
Putlam - - -	Teacher .. W. E. Lewis - -	36	„
Kornegalle - -	Acting Teacher .. A. Goonesekere - -	60	„
	Asst: Teacher .. W. Fonseka - -	18	„
Madampe - -	Teacher .. F. Ondaatjie - -	48	„
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Manaar - -	Teacher .. De Hoedt - - -	36	„
Female Superior Schools.			
Colombo Female Seminary	Head Teacher Mrs. R. Elliott - -	250	24
	First Asst: do .. J. Lindsay - - -	48	„
	Pupil Mistress .. L. Fermer - - -	18	„
Colombo Girls' School -	Head Teacher .. L. Palm, (on leave) Miss M. Crisp (actg.) -	100	30
	First Asst: .. E. Ball - - -	12	„
	Second do. .. M. Jansz - - -	12	„
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	Needle-work Mistress Mrs. Koelmeyer -	24	„
Kandy Girls' School -	Head Teacher Miss Houliston - -	200	48
	Asst. do. Mrs. H. Jansz - -	36	„
Galle Girls' School -	Head Teacher Mrs. M. Braybrooke -	200	21
	First Asst. do. Mr. G. H. Anthonisz -	36	„
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Female Mixed Schools.			
Borelle - - -	Head Teacher Mrs C. M. A. Louis -	18	9
	Asst: do. .. Welhelmina Perera -	12	„
Colpetty - - -	Head Teacher Mr. J. Botejoe - -	18	18
	Needlework mistress Mrs. Franciscus -	12	„
Pantura - -	Head Teacher Mrs. S. VanCuylenberg -	18	6
	Asst: do. Mr. Johannes Perera -	7 4	„
Caltura - - -	Joint Teachers { Mrs. C. S. Leembruggen -	18	„
	Joint Teachers { Mrs Dominga Pieris -	18	„
Trincomalie No. 1 -	Teacher Mrs. H. Williams - -	36	4 10
Trincomalie No. 2 -	Head Teacher Miss Ann Hunter - -	30	9
	Asst: do. Miss C. Hunter - -	6	„
Trincomalie Tamil -	Head Teacher Mrs. A. Mattheisz - -	24	1 16
	Monitor Miss Harriet Hunter -	6	„
Jaffna - - -	Teacher Miss Jane Marthensz -	24	„

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Vernacular Female Schools			
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Battakattra - -	Teacher .. Christina - -	12	„
Kotanya - -	Teacher .. L. Gomes - -	12	„
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Widagame - -	Teacher .. C. C. Carline - -	12	„
Deulpitiya - -	Teacher .. Dona Bastiana - -	12	„
Vernacular Boys Schools			
Payagalla - -	Head Teacher Mr. Don Christian - -	18	„
	Asst. do. ..O. F. D. Gooneratne -	9	„
Barbaryn - -	Teacher .. Don Anthony de Alwis -	18	2 14
Hangwelle - -	Teacher .. D. J. Ameresakera -	18	„
Sedua - - -	Teacher .. Paul Silva - -	18	„
	Asst: do. .. P. D. Cornelis - -	9	„
Dehewille - -	Teacher .. Benjamin Stark - -	18	„
	Asst: do. .. Johannes Stark - -	9	„
Wattella -	Teacher .. Alexander Rodrigo -	18	„
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	Asst: do. .. C. S. Wickremesakra -	9	„
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Kohilewatte - -	Teacher .. Constantin Perera -	18	„
Slave Island - -	Head Teacher .. C. Alwis - -	18	9
	Asst: do. .. J. Candappa - -	10 16	„
Dandogam - -	Head Teacher .. Don Bastian - -	18	„
	1st Asst. do. .. Johannes Fernando -	18	„
	2d Asst: do. .. Savary Perera - -	9	„
Katane - -	Teacher .. Joseph Fernando -	18	„
Minuangodde - -	Teacher .. Johannes Fernando 2d.	18	„
Weweldenia - -	Teacher .. Isaac Pieris - -	18	„
Dodangodde - -	Teacher .. Johannes Dias - -	18	„
Horogolla - -	Teacher .. Floris Perera - -	18	„
Peleyagodde - -	Teacher .. Don Matheisz - -	18	„
	Addl: .. Don A. de Silva - -	18	„
Attadia - - -	Teacher .. Siman Fernando - -	18	„
Ballangodde - -	Teacher .. Don Siman - -	18	„
Calany - -	Teacher .. Don Jeronimus -	18	„
Kottanya - -	Teacher .. C. Dias - -	18	„
Calpentyn (Tamil) -	Teacher .. A. Caderewelle - -	13 10	„
Doomaldenia(Singhalese)	Teacher .. Johannes Fieris - -	18	„
Akinmena - -	Teacher .. J. Alwis - -	18	„
Dondra - - -	Teacher .. Lewis Peter Gerhard -	18	„
Badulla - - -	Teacher .. Don Louis De Silva -	18	„
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The Society, besides printing Tracts, issues a monthly Periodical for adults and another for children. During last year James's "Anxious Inquirer," "Ayah and Lady," a new series of School Books, a History, Geography, and a Map of Ceylon were published. A Map of Palestine is in preparation. The total number of publications since the commencement of the Society, amounts to about 974,000, containing 12,003,000 pages.

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Missions in the Island.

SOCIETY FOR THE PROPAGATION OF THE GOSPEL.

COLOMBO DIOCESAN COMMITTEE.

(Formed August 14, 1840.)

PRESIDENT:

The Right Rev. The Lord Bishop of Colombo.

VICE PRESIDENTS:

The Hon'ble Chief Justice Carr.
The Hon'ble J. Caulfeild, Esq.
The Ven'ble The Archdeacon of Colombo.

SECRETARIES:

The Rev. J. Baly | The Rev. J. Bamforth.

The following are the Missions of the Incorporated Society in Ceylon.

Missionaries.	Stations.
Rev. J. Thurstan	Colpetty.
do.	Washer's Village.
do.	Milagraya.
do.	Timberigasyaya.
do.	Kilipane.
do.	Galkisse.
Rev. E. Mooyaart	Newera Ellia.
do.	Badulla.
Rev. S. Nicholas	Batticaloa and the Eastern Coast.
Rev. J. Hannah	
Rev. S. D. J. Ondaatjie ...	Matura (English, Singhalese and Portuguese.)
do.	Tangalle.
do.	Hambantotte.
do.	Belligam.
do.	
Rev. E. C. La Brooy	Kandy (Portuguese).
Rev. C. Alwis	Colombo, North and East
do.	St. Thomas's College. Sing.
do.	Gonewella.
do.	Wellicadde Gaol.
Rev. Francisco de Mell ...	Pantura
do.	Kehelwatte
do.	Nellore.
Rev. Solomon David	Cottanchina.
Rev. C. Dewesagayem... ...	Colombo, Pettah, Pauper and Leper Hospitals.
Catechists.	
Mr. F. Matheisz	Trincomalie.
— C. Jessop	Colombo. North.
— Gregoris de Silva	
— C. Philip	Calpentyn and Putlam.
— G. A. Rathna	Badulla.
— J. Rodrigo	Colpetty
— A. Mendis	Morotto and Coralawelle.
— A. Agilasen	Batticaloa.
— Oovay	Galkisse.

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Schools in Connection with the Society in Ceylon.

Schools.	Boys.	Girls.
Colombo		
St. Thomas's College... ...	15	
——Collegiate School ...	117	
——Orphan Asylum ...	20	
Cottanchina	56	
Sunday School ...	30	
Kayman's Gate	35	
Sunday School ...	25	
Mutwal...	114	57
St. Thomas's Church School	25	
Telangapata	34	
Galkisse & Milagraya.		
Galkisse	55	
Sunday School ...	25	
Ratmalane	41	
Sunday School ...	21	
Colpetty	55	17
Sunday School ...	40	
Washers' Village ...	45	38
Sunday School ...	23	
Kalubowile 1	20	28
Sunday School ...	25	
Do. 2	33	21
Sunday School ...	24	
Killapana	65	28
Sunday School ...	23	
Milagraya	—	16
Sunday School ...	32	
Industrial School ...	47	
Sunday School ...	35	
Timbirigasyaya	20	
Watterapolla	32	
Morotto.		
Coralawella	110	40
Sunday School ...	120	
Egode Ooyana	60	8
Egode Ooyana Sunday Sch :	35	
Idama	30	
Lakshapatia	45	22
Ooyana	18	32
Rawatawatte	50	26
Pantura.		
Kehelwatte	40	
Sunday School ...	36	
Nellore	44	6
Sunday School ...	46	
Putlam.		
Calpentyn	4	12
Sunday School ...	10	
Chilaw...	3	5
Sunday School ...	10	
Putlam	13	
Batticaloa.		
Amurdagally	40	3
Callady	52	
Kolamoone	47	
Navatcudah	40	
Paytaly	25	
Puliantivoe	20	32
Sunday School ...	9	11
Matura do. ...	30	
Paramulla	27	
Pusalawa	19	2
Sunday School ...	10	
Ratnapoora	14	
Sunday School ...	10	
Kandy do. ...	16	
Nuwera Ellia do. ...	10	
Badulla	15	
Hambantote	3	14
Sunday School ...	11	
Trincomalie do. ...	21	

TRINCOMALIE DISTRICT COMMITTEE.

Formed, October 19, 1840.

PRESIDENT.—The Right Rev. The Lord Bishop of Colombo.

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Rev. S. O. Glenie, M. A., Treasurer and Secretary.

The District Committee is supported by local contributions, and an Annual Grant of £48 from the Parent Society. Two Catechists are employed in connection with it at Trincomalie, each having a congregation respectively Burgher and Tamil, under his care.

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CEYLON MISSION OF THE CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

This Mission was established in the year 1818, and has seven stations, viz: Colombo, Cotta, Kandy, Baddagamma; and in the north, Nellore, Chundicully, and Copay. Recently a large circle of villages has been formed into a District for an itinerating Missionary.

Acting Finance Secretary—Rev. W. Oakley, Kandy.

MISSIONARIES.

COTTA.

The Rev. I. Wood
The Rev. Christopher C. Fenn
The Rev. C. Jayasinhe
Mr. H. J. Barton

KANDY.

The Rev. W. Oakley
The Rev. E. T. Higgins
Mr. E. R. Clarke

BADDAGAMMA.

The Rev. G. Parsons
The Rev. A. Goonesekere

NELLORE.

The Rev. J. O'Neill.

CHUNDICULLY.

The Rev. R. Pargiter

Mr. Joseph Sorrell

COPAY.

The Rev. R. Bren

STATIONS.	Missionaries.	No. in Congregations.	Schools.	Scholars.
Colombo	...	210	3	130
Cotta	4	1819	31	1537
Kandy	3	420	9	289
Baddagamma	2	183	17	459
Nellore	1	633	14	689
Chundicully	2	455	10	372
Copay	1	395	12	383
	13	4115	96*	3859*

* Of the above number of Schools there are in the Singhalese Districts 23, and in the Tamil Districts 6, in which 1060 Girls are educated.

COLOMBO CHURCH MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION, IN AID OF THE ABOVE MISSION, FORMED MARCH 12, 1843.

President.

The Lord Bishop of Colombo.

Vice Presidents.

Hon. W. C. Gibson, Esq.—Hon. C. Temple, Esq.—S. R. Muttukistna, Modliar.

COMMITTEE.

All subscribing Clergymen.

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And a Ladies' Committee.

Mrs. Gibson, *Treasurer.*—Miss Darley, *Secretary.*

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BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Commenced its operations in Ceylon in 1812.

Stations.	Missionaries.	Members	Schoools	Scholars.
Colombo—Pettah.... ...	James Allen and ...	49	1*	60
Mutwal	C. Carter	— —	1†	25
Grand Pass	C. P. Ranesinghe ...	52	1	30
Matakooly	—— ——	— —	2	42
Mitotomulle	—— ——	— —	1	23
Wellunpitya	—— ——	— —	1	20
Kollonawa	—— ——		1*	44
5 villages in addition visited monthly				
Kottigahawatte	J. W. Nadan, and ...	71	2	55
Koodabutgama	Don Johannis	— —	1†	25
Mahabutgama	—— ——	— —	1	35
Kalanimulle	—— ——	— —	1	26
Ambetelle	—— ——	— —	1	25
Mulliriawa	—— ——	— —	1	22
Oodoomulle	—— ——	— —	1	31
Bombiriya	—— ——	— —	1	22
Kotoowille	—— ——	— —	1†	25
Saidawatte	—— ——	— —	1	36
Tombovilla	—— ——	12	1	18
15 villages visited monthly				
Wailgama	D. A. Alwis	20	1	18
Hanwella	—— ——	18		
8 villages				
Byamville	John Melder	64	1	20
Dolupitiya	—— ——	— —	1	30
Cosrupaya	—— ——	— —	1	18
Todowagedara	—— ——	— —	1	25
18 villages				
Kaluwalgodde	Don David	31	1	19
Makawitte	—— ——	— —	1	20
Yakkaduwa	—— ——	— —		
Oogulboda	—— ——	— —	1	18
3 villages				
Hendella...	J. P. Silva	15		
Leper Hospital	—— ——	4		
Hoonoopitiya	—— ——	9	1	26
15 villages				
Gonawella	Peter Perera	35	1	20
Gonawella	—— ——	— —	1†	19
Bolagalle	—— ——	— —		
Mahabima	—— ——	— —	1	16
Kalany	—— ——	— —		
Kandy	J. Davies ...	30	1	55
,, ...	H. Perera ...	— —	2†	43
,, ...	Phllippa Pulha ...	— —	1	18
Matelle	T. Garnier	14	1	35
			1†	18
Uda Newera	A. Perera	— —		20
Mahagama...	J. Perera	— —	1	23

* Sunday Schools. † Girls' Schools.

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WESLEYAN MISSION.

(Commenced in 1814.)

South Ceylon District.

The Rev. D. J. Gogerly, Chairman and General Superintendent of the District.

Stations.	Missionaries.	Communicants.	Schools.	Boys.	Girls.
Colombo South Colpetty	Rev. D. J. Gogerly; Rev. D. H. Pereira N. M.	155	15	279	260
Wellewatte ..	Rev. D. de Silva N. M.				
Colombo North.. ..	Rev. A. Kessen, L. L. D.	209	4	120	60
	„ J. A. Poulier N. M.				
Negombo	„ D. D. Pereira „	89	3	116	18
Seedua & Minuangodde.	„ J. Fernando Asst. „	130	4	111	0
Galkisse	„ C. Wijesingha „	112	11	192	194
„ Angulany ..	„ H. Pereira Asst. „				
Morotto & Wattalpalla .	„ P. G. de Zylva „	368	6	188	63
Pantura	„ J. R. Parys „	48	3	108	24
Caltura	„ C. W. De Hoedt „	110	5	185	0
Galle and Amblangodde..	„ Joseph Rippon	132	7	82	50
Matura and Belligam ..	„ W. A. Lalman, N. M.	61	5	84	54
Dondra & Goddapity ..	„ P. Rodrigo, Asst. N. M.	21	2	50	0
		1435	64	1515	723

North Ceylon District.

Rev. R. D. Griffith, General Superintendent of the Wesleyan Mission in the Northern and Eastern Provinces, and Financial Secretary.

Stations.	Missionaries.	Communicants.	Schools.	Scholars.
Jaffna, Wannarponne and Puttore	Rev. R. D. Griffith, Rev. J. Phillips, W. Barber	142	7	503
Point Pedro and Cattavally	Rev. S. Gasparson ..	28	3	163
Trincomalie	Rev. J. Walton .	12	2	81
Batticaloa (Puliantivoe)	Rev. J. Kilner ..	129	4	269
„ (Caravaoor)	Rev. R. Watson ..	8	3	112
		319	19	1128

In connection with the Wesleyan Mission in the Northern and Eastern Provinces of Ceylon, there are 3 English, and 25 Tamil Congregations. The Local Agents engaged in the Mission consist of 2 Catechists, 9 Lay Teachers, 1 School Superintendent, 24 School Masters, and 6 School Mistresses.

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AMERICAN CEYLON MISSION.

Under the Direction of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.

(Commenced in 1816.)

The Mission occupies eight Stations, and six native Stations.

Tellipally	Rev. B. C. Meigs.
Batticotta	Rev. W. W. Howland.
„	Rev. E. P. Hastings.
„	S. F. Green, Esq., M. D.
„	Mr. Nathl. Niles, Native Preacher.
Oodooville	Rev. L. Spaulding.
Manepy	Rev. D. Poor.
„	T. S. Burnell, Esq.
Pandeteripo	Rev. J. C. Smith.
Chavagacherry	Rev. M. D. Sanders.
Varany	Do.
Oodoopitty	Rev. N. L. Lord.
„	Mr. S. Payson, Native Preacher.

Absent in America—Rev. C. T. Mills.

The Seminary at Batticotta under the care of the Rev. E. P. Hastings, and six Native Instructors, contains 104 pupils.

The Boarding School for Females at Oodooville under the care of Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding and Miss E. Agnew, and three Native Instructors, contains 82 pupils.

There are six English schools containing 222 lads. There are also 71 Native Free schools, containing 2445 boys and 1030 girls.—Total 3475.

There are also 41 Native Assistants in connection with the Mission.

There is also in connection with the Mission a Native Evangelical Society, which supports Catechists, and Native Free schools on the Islands of Valany and Delft.

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Roman Catholic Missions.

VICARIATE APOSTOLIC OF THE SOUTHERN PART [OF COLOMBO.]

The Right Rev. C. Antonio, Bishop and Vicar Apostolic.
The Right Rev. J. M. Bravi, D. D., Bishop and Coadjutor.

Names of the Missionaries	*Date of Arrival in Ceylon.*	*Stations.*
The Rev. C. De Rozario	1828	Colombo
„ M. Caetano	1836	Colombo
„ Z. Godinho	1841	Colombo
„ L. Cingolani	1849	Colombo
„ A. Mansoni	1851	Colombo
„ D. Pulicani	1851	Morotto
„ N. Casimir	1841	Caltura
„ J. P. Perard	1851	Koornegalle
„ C. De Nives	1842	Evagam Corle
„ F. Mendonza	1832	Sinna Corle.
„ F. Zoppe	1853	Kandy
„ J. Alberto	1830	Alootcoor Corle
„ A. Duffó	1851	Alootcoor Corle
„ P. Philippe	1841	Negombo
„ C. Dias	1830	Negombo
„ F. Dias	1837	Negombo
„ E. Miliani	1847	Negombo
„ M. Lallement	1851	Allootcoor Corle
„ C. Fernando	1854	Galle

VICARIATE APOSTOLIC OF JAFFNA.

The Right Rev. Dr. Orazio Bettachini, Bishop of Torona *in partibus*, and Vicar Apostolic of Jaffna.

Missionaries Apostolic.	*Date of Arrival in Ceylon.*	*From what Country.*	*Stations.*
The Very Rev. S. Semeria	28th Nov. 1847	Italy	The Town and suburbs of Jaffna & Mulletivoe
The Rev. L. Mauriot	24th Aug. 1850	France	The Town and suburbs of Jaffna & Mulletivoe
„ V. Lacombe	22d May 1853	France	The Town and suburbs of Jaffna & Mulletivoe
„ J. Le Bescou	29th Apr. 1849	France	Villigamoe
„ A. Rouffiac	22d May 1853	France	West & North Kaits & the Islands
„ J. Vistarini	7th Dec. 1846	Italy	West & North Kaits & the Islands
„ S. M. J. Vivier	24th Aug. 1850	France	Manaar District and Delft Island
„ L. Keating	28th Nov. 1847	Ireland	Manaar District and Delft Island
„ L. Pelissier	26th Sept. 1852	France	Manaar District and Delft Island
„ E. Guidi	28th Nov. 1847	Italy	Calpentyn
„ F. Oruna	14th Aug. 1845	Spain	Chilaw
„ F. Garcia	14th Aug. 1845	Spain	Caimel.
„ F. P. Moukel	29th Apr. 1849	France	Vadeorachymand Patchellapally
„ J. C. Mola	23d July 1847	Italy	Trincomalie
„ C. Chounavel	26th Sept. 1852	France	Batticaloa
„ A. Saint Geneys	6th July 1854	France	Not yet stationed.
„ E. Flurin	6th July 1854	France	Not yet stationed.

ROMAN CATHOLIC MISSION IN CEYLON.

Under the Patronage of His Most Faithful Majesty the King of Portugal.

Don Joaquim de Santa Rita Botelho, Bishop Elect of Cochin, and Vicar Capitular of Goa.

The Right Rev. Francisco Xavier Borges, Governor Episcopal of the Bishopric of Cochin, and Archbishopric of Cranganore, Diocesan.

Very Rev. Ezechiel da Conceicao Rodrigues, Acting Vicar General in the Island of Ceylon.

Rev. F. Reginaldo de Conceicao, Missionary of Colombo.

Rev. M. F. Mascarinhas, Vicar Missionary of Mantotte.

Rev. F. J. de Lima, Vicar Missionary of Jaffnapatam.

Rev. F. Filipe Nery, Vicar Missionary of Manar.

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PART IV.

Legal and Mercantile.

Legislative Enactments of the year 1854-55.

Stamp Duties.

Post Office Regulations.

Customs Duties.

Port Dues.

Warehouse Charges.

Rates of Agency.

Regulations respecting Sales of Crown Lands, etc. etc.

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Legislative Enactments.

Ordinances enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof; during the Sessions of the Year 1854–55.

No. 1. *To reduce the Postage on Letters between this Island and the United Kingdom.*

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to reduce the Postage on Letters transmitted by the Post, between this Island and the United Kingdom: It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Section 13 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1846 repealed. 1. The 13th section of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1846, entitled "*An Ordinance to amend the law relating to the Post Office, and for revising the rates of Postage,*" is repealed.

Rate of Postage on Letters between this Island and the United Kingdom. 2. From and after the commencement of this Ordinance, all Letters transmitted by the Post, between this Island and the United Kingdom,—at whatever place in this Colony they may be delivered, or from whatever place in this Colony they may be sent,—shall, if conveyed by Mail Packet, be charged with a Colonial Postage of One penny the half-ounce, and, if conveyed by private ship, with a Colonial Postage of Three pence the half-ounce, according to the following scale, that is to say;—

Every Letter not exceeding half an ounce.....1 rate,
————————exceeding half an ounce and not exceeding one ounce.....2 rates,
————————exceeding one ounce and not exceeding two ounces..... 4 rates;
and so on, increasing two rates for each ounce or fraction of an ounce.

And no additional Inland Postage shall be charged on such Letters; and no privilege of franking shall extend to Letters so transmitted,—the public Despatches and Letters being *bonâ fide* on the public service only excepted.

Provisions of former Ordinance to be in force with regard to the Postage hereby imposed. 3. The provisions of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1846, shall be of full force and effect with respect to the Postage imposed by this Ordinance, so far as the same are or shall be applicable, and shall be observed, applied and enforced accordingly, in relation thereto, so far as the same shall be consistent with this Ordinance, as fully and effectually, to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been herein repeated and specially enacted with reference to the said Postage; and the said Ordinance No. 1 of 1846 and this Ordinance shall be read and construed as one Ordinance.

Ordinance when to come into operation. 4. This Ordinance shall come into operation on the First day of May, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-four.

No. 2. *To amend in certain respects the law relating to Jurors and Assessors.*

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to alter and amend in certain respects the Ordinance No. 19 of 1844, entitled "*An Ordinance for determining the qualifications, and making other provisions in respect of persons liable to serve as Jurors and Assessors;*" It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Justices of the Peace not exempted from serving as Jurors or Assessors. 1. So much of the second section of the said Ordinance No. 19 of 1844 as enacts, that all Justices of the Peace shall be absolutely free and exempted from serving as Jurors or Assessors in any Court in this Island, is hereby repealed. Provided that it shall be a good cause of challenge to any Justice of the Peace called to serve as a Juror on any trial, that the preliminary informations in respect of the crime or offence to be tried were taken before him, or that the accused was committed for trial, or held to bail, by such Justice of the Peace, for the said crime or offence.

Proviso.

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Repeal of the proviso in the 12th section of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1844.

2. The proviso in the twelfth section of the said Ordinance No. 19 of 1844, by which it is enacted that if either the Queen's Advocate, or the prisoner, or his Advocate or Proctor, shall move the Court that the Jury to try any case shall be selected from a list of persons who can speak the English language, the Judge shall issue an order in compliance with such motion, is hereby repealed.

Sections 4 and 6 of Ordinance No. 20 of 1852 repealed.

3. And whereas it is expedient to embody in this Ordinance, the provisions contained in the 4th and 6th sections of the Ordinance No. 20 of 1852, entitled "*To amend in certain respects the constitution of the Supreme Court:*" It is enacted, that the 4th and 6th sections of the Ordinance No. 20 of 1852 are repealed.

Jurors residing beyond ten miles from the Court not to be summoned.

But may be taken as bystanders.

4. No person shall be liable to be summoned to serve as a Juror at any Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court, who shall not reside within Ten miles of the place where such Sessions shall be holden; any thing contained in the 1st section of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1844 to the contrary notwithstanding. But nothing herein contained shall disqualify any person from serving as a Juror in any case in which he may be summoned as a bystander, under an order made by the Judge in pursuance of the 13th section of the said last mentioned Ordinance.

Number of peremptory challenges when there are several defendants.

5. Where two or more persons are tried together on one information, they shall agree together as to their peremptory challenges of persons called to serve as Jurors on their trial; and the number of such challenges which shall be allowed to them shall not in any case exceed the number of such challenges allowed to one single accused party.

Ordinance when to come into operation.

6. This Ordinance shall come into operation on the First day of September, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-four.

No. 3. *To provide for the Collection of Tolls at the Caltura Bridge.*

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Ordinance No. 12 of 1847, entitled "*For establishing Tolls to be levied at the Caltura Bridge,*" will cease to be in force on the 31st day of December next; and it is expedient to make provision for the future collection of Tolls at the said Bridge: It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Tolls to be levied at the Caltura Bridge.

1. Tolls shall be levied in respect of the Caltura Bridge at such rates as the Governor by Proclamation in the Government Gazette, shall from time to time be pleased to appoint; provided that the same shall in no case exceed the rates specified in the Second clause of the Ordinance No. 9 of 1845, entitled "*To amend the law in respect to the collection of Tolls.*"

The Governor to fix Toll station.

2. It shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time by Proclamation in the Government Gazette, to determine at what place the Tolls hereinbefore authorised to be levied shall be collected, and the said place from time to time in like manner to alter, and another place to establish instead thereof for the collection of such Tolls.

Provisions of Ordinance No. 9 of 1845, extended to this Ordinance.

3. The provisions of the said Ordinance No. 9 of 1845, shall be of full force and effect with respect to the collection of the Tolls imposed by this Ordinance so far as the same are or shall be applicable, and shall be observed, applied and enforced accordingly, in relation thereto, so far as the same shall be consistent with this Ordinance, as fully and effectually to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been herein repeated and specially enacted with reference to the said Tolls; and the said Ordinance No. 9 of 1845, and this Ordinance shall be read and construed as one Ordinance.

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Ordinance when to come into operation.

4. This Ordinance shall come into operation on the First day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-five.

No. 4. *For establishing Tolls to be levied at the Ballacadua Pass.*

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to establish Tolls to be levied at the Ballacadua Pass, on the road between Kandy and Matelle. It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Tolls to be levied at Ballacadua Pass.

1. Tolls shall be levied at the Ballacadua Pass, on the road between Kandy and Matelle at such rates as the Governor from time to time, by Proclamation in the Government Gazette shall be pleased to appoint; provided that the same shall in no case exceed the rates specified in the 2nd Section of the Ordinance No. 9 of 1845, entitled "*To amend the law in respect to the Collection of Tolls.*"

The Governor to fix Toll Station.

2. It shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, by Proclamation in the Government Gazette, to determine at what place the Tolls hereinbefore authorised to be levied shall be collected, and the said place in like manner to alter, and another place to establish instead thereof for the collection of such Tolls.

Provisions of Ordinance No. 9 of 1845, extended to this Ordinance.

3. The provisions of the said Ordinance No. 9 of 1845, shall be of full force and effect with respect to the collection of the Tolls imposed by this Ordinance, so far as the same are or shall be applicable, and shall be observed, applied, and enforced accordingly, in relation thereto, so far as the same shall be consistent with this Ordinance, as fully and effectually to all intents and purposes as if the same had been herein repeated, and specially enacted with reference to the said Tolls; and the said Ordinance No. 9 of 1845 and this Ordinance shall be read and construed as one Ordinance.

Ordinance when to come into operation.

4. This Ordinance shall come into operation on the First day of January, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-five.

No. 5. *To consolidate and amend the laws against offences relating to the Coin.*

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the laws against offences relating to the Coin: It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

Repeal of Regulation No. 12 of 1814.
No. 16 of 1822.
No. 11 of 1824.

1. The Regulation No. 12 of 1814, entitled "*For the preventing the counterfeiting of coin current in the British Settlements in the Island of Ceylon;*" the Regulation No. 16 of 1822, entitled "*For amending the twelfth Regulation of the year 1814, and altering the punishment on persons convicted of counterfeiting the coins current in Ceylon, or of uttering counterfeit coin:*" and the Regulation No. 11 of 1824, entitled "*For preventing the counterfeiting of coin by washing or gilding, and the uttering of any coin so counterfeited,*" are hereby repealed.

Punishment for counterfeiting gold or silver coin.

Offence complete though coin not finished.

2. If any person shall falsely make or counterfeit any coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin; every such person shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any period not exceeding Five years; and every such offence shall be deemed to be complete, although the coin so made or counterfeited shall not be in a fit state to be uttered, or the counterfeiting thereof shall not be finished or perfected.

Punishment for colouring counterfeit coin or pieces of metal with intent to

3. If any person shall gild or silver, or shall, with any wash or materials capable of producing the colour of gold or of silver, wash, colour, or case over any coin whatsoever resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold

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make them pass for gold or silver coin.

or silver coin;—or if any person shall gild or silver, or shall, with any wash or materials capable of producing the colour of gold or of silver, wash, colour, or case over any piece of silver, or copper, or of coarse gold or coarse silver, or of any metal or mixture of metals respectively, being of a fit size and figure to be coined, and with intent that the same shall be coined into false and counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin;—or if any person shall gild, or shall, with any wash or materials capable of producing the colour of gold, wash, colour, or case over any of the Queen's current silver coin, or file, or in any manner alter such coin, with intent to make the same resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold coin;—or if any person shall gild or silver, or shall, with any wash or materials capable of producing the colour of gold or of silver, wash, colour, or case over any of the Queen's current copper coin, or file, or in any manner alter such coin, with intent to make the same resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin; every such person shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any period not exceeding Five years.

Or for colouring or altering genuine coin with intent to make it pass for a higher coin.

Punishment for impairing gold or silver coin.

4. If any person shall impair, diminish, or lighten any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin, with intent to make the coins so impaired, diminished, or lightened, pass for the Queen's current gold or silver coin; every such person shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any period not exceeding Two years.

Punishment for buying or selling, &c., counterfeit gold or silver coin, or importing it from abroad.

5. If any person shall buy, sell, receive, pay, or put off, or offer to buy, sell, receive, pay, or put off any false or counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin, at or for a lower rate or value than the same by its denomination imports or was coined or counterfeited for;—or if any person shall import into this Colony from beyond the seas any false or counterfeited coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin, knowing the same to be false or counterfeit; every such person shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any period not exceeding Five years.

Punishment for uttering counterfeit gold or silver coin.

6. If any person shall tender, utter, or put off any false or counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin, knowing the same to be false or counterfeit, every such person shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any period not exceeding One year. And if any person shall tender, utter, or put off any false or counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin, knowing the same to be false or counterfeit, and such person shall, at the time of such tendering, uttering, or putting off, have in his possession, besides the false or counterfeit coin so tendered, uttered, or put off, one or more piece or pieces of false or counterfeit coin, resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin; or shall, either on the day of such tendering, uttering, or putting off, or within the space of ten days then next ensuing, tender, utter, or put off any more or other false or counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin, knowing the same to be false and counterfeit; every such person shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any term not exceeding Two years; and if any person who shall have been convicted of any of the offences hereinbefore in this section mentioned, shall afterwards commit any of the said offences, such person shall be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any period not exceeding Five years.

For uttering or having other counterfeited coin in possession: or uttering twice in ten days.

Punishment for second offence of uttering after a previous conviction.

Punishment for having three or more pieces of counterfeit coin, with intent to utter them.

7. If any person shall have in his custody or possession three or more pieces of false or counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin, knowing the same to be false or counterfeit, and with intent to utter or put off the same; every such person shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment

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For the second offence. at hard labour for any period not exceeding Two years: and if any person so convicted shall afterwards commit the like offence, such person shall be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any period not exceeding Five years.

Punishment for having coining tools in possession. 8. If any person shall knowingly and without lawful authority (the proof of which authority shall lie on the party accused) make or mend, or begin or proceed to make or mend, or buy, or sell, or shall knowingly and without lawful excuse, (the proof of which excuse shall lie on the party accused), have in his custody or possession any tool, stamp, mould, or instrument, in or upon which there shall be made or impressed, or which shall make or impress, or which shall be intended to make or impress, the figure, stamp, or apparent resemblance of both or either of the sides of any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin, or any part or parts of both or either of such sides; or if any person shall knowingly and without lawful authority, (the proof whereof shall lie on the party accused), make or mend, or begin or proceed to make or mend, or buy, or sell, or shall knowingly and without lawful excuse, (the proof whereof shall lie on the party accused), have in his custody or possession any tool, instrument, or engine, adapted and intended for the marking of coin round the edges with grainings, or other marks or figures apparently resembling those on the edges of any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin, such person knowing the same to be so adapted and intended as aforesaid:—or if any person shall knowingly and without lawful authority, (the proof whereof shall lie on the party accused), make or mend, or begin or proceed to make or mend, or buy, or sell, or shall knowingly and without lawful excuse, (the proof whereof shall lie on the party accused), have in his custody or possession any press for coinage, or any cutting engine for cutting round blanks out of gold, silver, or other metals, such person knowing such press to be a press for coinage, or knowing such engine to have been used, or to be intended to be used, for or in order to the counterfeiting of any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin: every such person shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any period not exceeding Five years.

Of offences relating to copper coin. 9. If any person shall falsely make or counterfeit any coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current copper coin;—or if any person shall knowingly, and without lawful authority (the proof of which authority shall lie on the party accused), make or mend, or begin or proceed to make or mend, or buy or sell, or shall knowingly, and without lawful excuse, (the proof of which excuse shall lie on the party accused), have in his custody or possession any instrument, tool, or engine adapted and intended for the counterfeiting of any of the Queen's current copper coin;—or if any person shall buy, sell, receive, pay, or put off, or offer to buy, sell, receive, pay, or put off any false or counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current copper coin, at, or for a lower rate or value than the same by its denomination imports, or was coined or counterfeited for: every such person shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any period not exceeding Two years; and every offence of making or counterfeiting any such coin, shall be deemed to be complete, although the coin so made or counterfeited shall not be in a fit state to be uttered, or the counterfeiting thereof shall not be finished or perfected. And if any person shall tender, utter, or put off any false or counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current copper coin, knowing the same to be false or counterfeit;—or shall have in his custody or possession three or more pieces of false or counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current copper coin, knowing the same to be false or counterfeit, and with intent to utter or put off the same: every such person shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to imprisonment at hard labour for any period not exceeding One year.

Provision for the discovery and seizure of counterfeit coin, and coining tools, &c. 10. If any person shall find or discover in any place whatever, or in the possession of any person having the same without lawful excuse, any false or counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold, silver, or copper coin, or any instrument, tool, or engine whatsoever, adapted and intended for the counterfeiting of any such coin: it shall be lawful for the person so finding or discovering, and he is hereby required, to seize the same, and to carry the same forthwith before some Justice of the Peace. And where it shall be

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proved, on the oath of a credible witness, before any Justice of the Peace, that there is reasonable cause to suspect that any person has been concerned in counterfeiting the Queen's current gold, silver, or copper coin, or has in his custody or possession any such counterfeit coin, or any instrument, tool, or engine whatsoever, adapted and intended for the counterfeiting of any such coin: it shall be lawful for such Justice, by warrant under his hand, to cause any place whatsoever belonging to, or in the occupation, or under the control of such suspected person to be searched, either in the day or in the night; and if any such counterfeit coin, or any such instrument, tool, or engine shall be found in any place so searched, to cause the same to be seized, and carried forthwith before the said Justice, or some other Justice of the Peace; and all counterfeit coin, and all instruments, tools, and engines adapted and intended for the counterfeiting of coin, after they shall have been produced in evidence upon the trial, or when they shall have been seized and shall not be required to be produced in evidence, shall forthwith be delivered up to the Fiscal, to be by him dealt with in such manner as may be directed by the Governor.

Offences committed by several in concert in different districts, where to be tried, &c.

11. Where two or more persons acting in concert in different districts or jurisdictions, shall commit any offence against this Ordinance: all or any of the said offenders may be dealt with, prosecuted, tried, and punished, and their offence laid and charged to have been committed in any one of the said districts or jurisdictions, in the same manner as if the offence had been actually and wholly committed within such one district or jurisdiction.

Principals in the second degree, and accessaries, how punished.

12. In the case of any offence punishable under this Ordinance, every principal in the second degree, and every accessary before the fact shall be punishable in the same manner as the principal in the first degree is by this Ordinance punishable, and may be charged in the information or complaint as a principal in the first degree: and every accessary after the fact to any offence punishable under this Ordinance, shall, on conviction, be punishable by imprisonment for such term as the Court in its discretion shall award.

Interpretation as to current coin; counterfeit coin; and criminal possession.

13. Where "the Queen's current gold or silver coin," or "the Queen's current copper coin," shall be mentioned in any part of this Ordinance, the same shall be deemed to include and denote any gold or silver coin, or any copper coin respectively, lawfully current in this Colony, or in any part of Her Majesty's dominions, or in any part of the territories under the Government of the East India Company; and any of the Queen's current coin which shall have been gilt, silvered, washed, coloured, or cased over, or in any manner altered so as to resemble, or be apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current coin of a higher denomination, shall be deemed and taken to be counterfeit coin, within the intent and meaning of those parts of this Ordinance in which mention is made of "false or counterfeit coin resembling, or apparently intended to resemble or pass for any of the Queen's current gold or silver coin;" and where the having any matter in the custody or possession of any person, is in this Ordinance expressed to be an offence, if any person shall have any such matter in his personal custody or possession, or shall knowingly and wilfully have any such matter in any dwelling house, or other building, room, field, or other place, open or inclosed, whether belonging to, or occupied by himself, or not; and whether such matter shall be so had for his own use or benefit, or for that of another, every such person shall be deemed and taken to have such matter in his custody or possession, within the meaning of this Ordinance.

Ordinance when to come into operation.

This Ordinance shall commence and take effect on the First day of January, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-five.

No. 6. *An Ordinance relating to Appeals from Courts of Civil Jurisdiction in this Colony.*

Preamble.

No Judgment to be reversed &c. on the ground of technical errors or defects.

WHEREAS every case in Appeal ought to be determined upon the merits, without regard to technical errors or defects; It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that from and after the passing of this Ordinance, no Judgment, Decree, or Order of any Court of Civil Jurisdiction in this Colony shall, on Appeal, be reversed, altered, or remanded, on account of any error, defect or irregularity, not productive of injury to either party.

[Passed in Council, August 30th, 1854.

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No. 7. *To make further provisions touching proceedings in Police Courts.*

Preamble. *Ordinance No. 11 of 1843.*

WHEREAS under the authority of the Ordinance No. 11 of 1843, entitled "*Ordinance for the Establishment of Police Courts,*" Courts of inferior Criminal Jurisdiction are, and may be hereafter established in this Colony, with power to hear and dispose of certain crimes and offences in a summary way; and by the said Ordinance power is given to the Supreme Court to review the proceedings of such Police Courts, and if necessary to set aside or correct the same on certain grounds specified in the said Ordinance: And whereas it is expedient to make further provisions for ensuring that the proceedings of the said Courts shall be conducted in a simple manner and without technical strictness; and also to provide more effectually for the correction of errors in law committed by the said Courts, by which substantial injustice has been done: It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

Of the prosecutor.

1. Any person may complain to a Police Court of the commission of any crime or offence whatsoever, cognizable by the said Court; and the name of the person complaining shall be entered in the Record Book as the prosecutor.

Charge how stated.

2. The act or omission charged as the offence shall be stated in the Record Book in ordinary and concise language, without repetition, and in such manner as to enable a person of common understanding to know what is intended. And no charge or complaint or summons shall be held to be insufficient by reason of any defect or imperfection in any matter of form, which does not prejudice the substantial rights of the defendant, upon the merits.

In cases where offence defined by Ordinance.

3. Words used in an Ordinance or Proclamation to define a public offence, need not be strictly pursued in stating the charge, but other words from which the offence charged can be ascertained may be used.

Defects therein may be amended.

4. If any error has been committed in recording the charge or complaint, the Police Magistrate may amend the same at any time before giving judgment. But in case the amendment is in any matter of substance, he shall postpone the hearing or further hearing of the

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case, so as to give the defendant reasonable time for his defence; unless the defendant informs the Court that he does not desire a postponement, of which statement record shall be made in the proceedings, or unless it shall appear to the Court that the defendant has not been deceived or misled by such error.

Forms in Schedule may be adopted.

5. And whereas it is desirable that examples should be given of the statements of crimes or offences charged; it is enacted, that the forms contained in the Schedule to this Ordinance annexed, shall be sufficient, and those and the like forms may be used with such modifications as may be necessary to meet the facts of the case; but nothing herein contained shall render it erroneous or irregular to depart from the letter of such forms.

If prosecutor absent, hearing may be adjourned.

6. If the prosecutor do not appear on the day appointed for the hearing of the case, it shall be lawful for the Police Magistrate in his discretion, instead of dismissing the complaint, to adjourn the hearing thereof to another day to be specified by him; and to cause a summons to be issued to the prosecutor requiring him to attend before the Court on the day to which the hearing has been adjourned; and the said adjournment and the cause thereof shall be entered in the Record Book: and such adjournment

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may take place oftener than once if need be. But if the defendant is in custody, the Magistrate shall discharge him upon his entering into a recognizance, with or without a surety or sureties at the discretion of such Magistrate, conditioned for his appearance to answer the charge at the time to which the hearing has been so adjourned.

Parties may be assisted by their agents.

7. Every person on trial in any Police Court shall be permitted to defend himself either personally or by his authorized agent, and the said Police Court may allow any prosecution to be conducted by an authorized agent. But nothing herein contained shall be deemed to dispense with the presence of any prosecutor or defendant.

Who shall be deemed authorized agents.

8. No person shall be deemed an authorized agent within the meaning of this Ordinance, except an Advocate or Proctor, or any

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other person who by the leave of the Court before which the prisoner is on trial, is employed by the prosecutor or defendant as his agent.

Appeal how lodged.

9. Any party wishing to appeal to the Supreme Court against any final judgment or sentence of a Police Court, may, within Ten days after the day on which such judgment or sentence was pronounced, but not afterwards, lodge with the Clerk of the Court a petition of appeal to the Supreme Court, setting forth the grounds on which he appeals. And the Police Magistrate shall forthwith return and certify to the Supreme Court a copy of the proceedings extracted from the Record Book, together with the petition of appeal, and also the evidence taken in the case, and the documents and processes connected therewith.

Appeal not to stay execution of sentence except by order of the Police Court.

10. Provided that no such appeal shall have the effect of staying the execution of any judgment or sentence pronounced by any such Police Court, unless such Court shall see fit to make order for the stay of any such execution, pending the appeal; in which case the defendant shall enter into a recognizance, with such sureties as the Police Magistrate may approve, to appear when required and abide the judgment of the Supreme Court upon the appeal. Where, however, a defendant is sentenced to suffer corporal punishment, the execution thereof shall be stayed pending the appeal, and in case the defendant cannot give sufficient sureties, it shall be competent for the Magistrate to imprison him until the result of the appeal is made known.

Supreme Court to hear appeals from Police Court.

11. The Supreme Court shall be a Court of appellate jurisdiction for the correction of errors in law committed by the respective Police Courts in any final judgment or sentence pronounced by any of such Police Courts, in respect of any crime or offence tried before the said Courts. And, after hearing the appeal against any such final judgment or sentence, the said Supreme Court shall give judgment thereon according to law, but without regard to errors or defects which have not prejudiced the substantial rights of the defendant; and may affirm, reverse, correct, alter and vary the judgment or sentence appealed from, according to law, or may (if the evidence is insufficient) remand the case to the Police Court from which the appeal has been prosecuted, for the admission of any further evidence, and to give judgment thereupon.

Appellate powers of Supreme Court may be exercised by one Judge at Colombo.

12. All and every the powers of the Supreme Court upon appeals from the Police Courts in the preceding Section mentioned, may be exercised by any Judge of the Supreme Court sitting at Colombo, without assessors being associated with him. Provided that it shall be lawful for such Judge to reserve any question of law arising upon any such appeal for the decision of the Judges of the said Supreme Court collectively, who are hereby empowered and required to enquire of and decide the same.

Time of hearing appeals.

Notice to be given.

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13. One of the Judges of the Supreme Court shall sit for the hearing of such appeals, on such days throughout the year as shall be necessary for the prompt decision thereof. And the Registrar of the said Court shall cause reasonable notice to be given by advertisement in the Government Gazette of the days on which a Judge of the said Court will sit for such purpose. But such Judge may in his discretion sit for the hearing of such appeals on any other day, if it appears to him necessary or expedient so to do.

List of appeals to be prepared and affixed.

14. The Registrar shall cause a list of all such appeals transmitted to the Supreme Court to be prepared, in which he shall enter such appeals in the order of time in which they were received; and he shall affix such list, or a copy thereof, in some conspicuous part of the Court house: and such appeals shall be heard in the order in which they are entered, unless the said Court, or any Judge thereof, shall see cause to make some other disposition of the same.

Police Court to execute the judgment in appeal.

15. The Police Court shall conform to and execute such judgments, orders and decrees of the Supreme Court as shall be made and pronounced in any appeal, in like manner as any original judgment by the said Police Court could or might have been executed.

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Ordinance No. 11 of 1843, secs. 14 and 16, and Ordinance No. 15 of 1844 repealed.

16. The 14th and 16th sections of the said Ordinance No. 11 of 1843, and the Ordinance No. 15 of 1844, entitled "*An Ordinance to declare the mode in which the powers vested in the Supreme Court of reviewing the proceedings of Police Courts and Courts of Requests is to be exercised in certain respects,*" are repealed.

Ordinance when to come into operation.

17. This Ordinance shall come into operation and take effect from and after the Proclamation in the Government Gazette of this Island, that the same has been ratified and confirmed by Her Majesty.

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Forms of Complaints.

For assault.

1. Assaulting and beating A. B. at , on the

For assaulting a Police Officer in the execution of his duty under Ordinance No. 15 of 1843, sec. 17.

2. Assaulting and resisting A. B. an Officer of Police, when endeavouring to arrest C. D. on a charge of , at , on the , against the 17th section of Ordinance No. 15 of 1843.

Obstructing Officer of Road Committee in the discharge of his duty under Ordinance No. 8 of 1848, sec. 74.

3. Obstructing and molesting A. B. when acting under the authority of the District Committee of , in the seizure of a bullock found straying upon the road, at , on the , against the 74th section of Ordinance No. 8 of 1848.

Theft.

4. Stealing *a Comb* the property of A.B., at , on the

Receiving stolen property.

5. Receiving, knowing it to have been stolen, *a Comb*, property of A. B. at , on the

Neglect of duty by servant, under Ordinance No. 5 of 1841, sec. 7.

6. Gross neglect of duty in the service of his master A. B. at , on the , against the 7th section of Ordinance No. 5 of 1841.

Deserting child under Ordinance No. 4 of 1841, sec. 3.

7. Leaving his child without maintenance, so that it requires to be supported by others, at , on the , against the 3d section of Ordinance No. 4 of 1841.

Exposure of person under Ordinance No. 4 of 1841, sec. 4.

8. Indecently exposing his person in Street at , on the , to the annoyance and disgust of others, against the 4th section of Ordinance No. 4 of 1841.

Taking forcible possession of property under Proclamation of 5th August 1819.

9. Taking possession of the crop of the field at , on the , while in the occupation of A. B. without the authority of a Magistrate, against the Proclamation of 5th August 1819.

Not attending to perform labour under Ordinance No. 14 of 1848, sec. 5.

10. Failing to attend and perform labour on the road at , on the , though required by the Division Officer, against the 5th section of Ordinance No. 14 of 1848.

Cockfighting under Ordinance No. 4 of 1841, sec. 4.

11. Cockfighting in a tavern at , on the , against the 4th section of Ordinance No. 4 of 1841.

Gambling under Ordinance No. 4 of 1841, sec. 4.

12. Playing with cards at a game of chance, in a shed kept for the purpose of promiscuous gaming at , on the , against the 4th section of Ordinance No. 4 of 1841.

Illegal possession of Arrack under Ordinance No. 10 of 1844, sec. 32.

13. Possessing Arrack at , on the , contrary to the provisions of the 32nd section of Ordinance No. 10 of 1844.

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No. 8. *To apply a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand Six hundred and Sixty-four pounds, Fourteen shillings and Seven pence, to defray the Supplementary Contingent charges of the year* 1854.

No. 9. *To apply a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy six thousand Four hundred and Eighty-nine pounds, Five shillings and Eleven pence, to the Contingent service of the year* 1855.

No. 10. *To make provision respecting Burial Grounds and the Burial of the Dead.*

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision touching Burial Grounds and the Burial of the Dead, with a view to the protection of the Public Health: It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

New Burial Grounds in certain Towns to be approved by the Governor.

1. No new Burial Ground shall be provided and used in any of the places mentioned in the Schedule to this Ordinance, or to which this Ordinance is applied as hereinafter mentioned, without the previous approval of the Governor, on the recommendation of the Board of Health of the Province, signified by notice in the Government Gazette.

Burials forbidden in Churches hereafter erected within such towns.

2. It shall not be lawful to bury any corpse or coffin in any place of public worship erected after this Ordinance comes into operation, within any of the places mentioned in the said Schedule, or to which this Ordinance is applied as hereinafter mentioned. Provided that nothing herein contained shall be construed to revoke or affect the prohibition against burials within certain Churches, and within the enclosed ground about the same, contained in the Ordinance No. 11 of 1842, entitled "*An Ordinance to provide for a Church in Kandy,*" and in the Ordinance No. 12 of 1846, entitled "*An Ordinance to regulate the temporal affairs of the Episcopal Churches in the Island of Ceylon which have been erected or are now in course of erection, or which may hereafter be erected in terms of the Ordinance No.* 1 *of* 1845,"—which prohibition shall remain of full force and effect to all intents and purposes.

Penalty for breach of the preceding Sections.

3. Whosoever shall bury, or cause, permit, or suffer to be buried, any corpse or coffin in any burial ground, or in any place of public worship, or the enclosed ground about the same, contrary to the provisions contained in the two preceding sections, or in the said Ordinance No. 11 of 1842, and No. 12 of 1846, shall for every such offence be liable, on conviction, to a penalty not exceeding Twenty pounds.

Burial Grounds &c., dangerous to health may be prohibited.

4. In case it appears to the Governor and Executive Council, upon the representation of the Board of Health of the Province, or after inquiry by such ways and means as the said Governor and Council may think fit to direct, that any Burial Ground situate in any place mentioned in the Schedule to this Ordinance, or to which this Ordinance is applied as hereinafter mentioned, is in such a state or locality as to be dangerous to the health of persons living in the neighbourhood thereof; or that by reason of the surcharged state of the vaults or graves within any place of public worship, in any such place as aforesaid, or other cause, it is dangerous to the health of persons frequenting such place of public worship to permit the continuance of burials in any vaults or graves within the same, and that sufficient means of interment exist within a convenient distance from such burial ground or place of public worship, it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the said Executive Council, to order that, after a time to be mentioned in the order, burials in any such burial ground or place of public worship, shall be discontinued. And every such order shall be published in the Government Gazette.

Burials not to take place after order for discontinuance.

5. After the time mentioned in any such order it shall not be lawful to bury any corpse or coffin in any burial ground or place of public worship mentioned in such order; and every person who after such time as aforesaid shall bury, or cause, permit, or suffer to be

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buried, any corpse or coffin, contrary to this enactment, shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding Twenty pounds.

Graves to be of a certain depth.

6. All graves in any burial ground within any of the places mentioned in the Schedule to this Ordinance, or to which this Ordinance is applied as hereinafter mentioned, shall be dug to such a depth, being not less than three feet, as, considering the nature of the soil and other circumstances, the Board of Health of the Province may think fit to direct. And the said Board shall cause notice to be given of the depth to which graves are to be dug in any such burial ground, in such manner as the said Board may think best adapted for giving the greatest publicity thereto; and whosoever, after such public notice, buries, or causes, permits, or suffers to be buried, any corpse or coffin contrary to this enactment, shall be guilty of an offence, and liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding Five pounds.

Burial Grounds to be enclosed, and kept clear of jungle.

7. All burial grounds within any of the places mentioned in the Schedule to this Ordinance, or to which this Ordinance is applied as hereinafter mentioned, shall be enclosed with a sufficient wall or fence, and be kept clear of low jungle, or underwood; and it shall be lawful for the Board of Health of the Province to call upon the trustees, managers, or proprietors of any such burial ground, or upon the persons having sole or principal charge thereof, to enclose or to clear the same as aforesaid, within a reasonabe time, to be determined by such Board; and in case of non-compliance with such requisition, it shall be lawful for the said Board to cause any such burial ground to be properly enclosed or cleared of jungle, at the expense of such trustees, managers, proprietors, or person having sole or principal charge thereof, as aforesaid.

Ordinance may be applied to other towns, &c.

8. It shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, by any Proclamation to be by him from time to time for that purpose issued and published in the Government Gazette, to declare that the provisions contained in this Ordinance shall extend to and may be brought into operation within any town, village, or other place in this Colony, other than those mentioned in the Schedule to this Ordinance; and thereupon its several provisions shall apply and extend to, and may be enforced within any town, village, or place mentioned in such Proclamation, as fully to all intents and purposes as if such town, village, or place had been mentioned in the said Schedule.

Limitation of prosecution.

9. No prosecution shall be instituted against any person for an offence against the provisions of this Ordinance, unless the same shall be commenced within Three months from the commission of the offence.

Informer's share of penalty.

10. It shall be lawful for the Court before which any conviction under this Ordinance shall take place, to award to the person who may have given information of the offence, such share of any penalty actually recovered, not exceeding the half of the sum recovered, as the Court may deem fit.

Ordinance when to come into operation.

11. This Ordinance shall come into operation on the First day of July in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-five.

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The town, fort, and gravets of Colombo.
The town and gravets of Kandy.
The town, fort, and gravets of Galle.
The town, fort, and gravets of Jaffna.
The town, fort, and gravets of Trincomalie.
The town and gravets of Negombo.
The town, fort, and gravets of Matura.

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No. 1. *To repeal certain Stamp Duties, and to impose others in lieu thereof; and to amend the laws relating to Stamp Duties.*

Preamble. *Ordinance No. 19 of 1852.*

WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal certain of the Stamp duties imposed by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1852, entitled "*To amend the law relating to Stamp duties,*" and to substitute others in lieu thereof; and also to amend in certain respects the law relating to Stamp duties: It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Stamp duties on instruments specified in the annexed Schedule repealed, and other duties imposed in lieu thereof.

1. The several Stamp duties now payable under and by virtue of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1852, for and in respect of the several instruments described or mentioned in the Schedule to this Ordinance annexed, shall respectively cease and determine, and shall be, and the same are hereby repealed; and in lieu and instead thereof there shall be raised, levied, collected, and paid in this Colony unto and for the use of Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, for and in respect of the said several instruments, or for and in respect of the paper or other material upon which the same respectively shall be written or printed, the several Stamp duties or sums of money set down in figures against the same respectively, or otherwise specified or set forth in the said Schedule; and the said Schedule, and the several provisions, regulations, and directions therein contained, with respect to the said duties, and the instruments charged therewith, shall be deemed and taken to be part of this Ordinance, and shall be applied, observed, and put in execution accordingly. Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall extend to repeal or alter any of the said duties now payable in relation to any instrument which shall have been signed or executed by any party thereto, or which shall bear date before the day on which this Ordinance comes into operation.

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Duties on Bills drawn out of this Colony to be denoted by adhesive Stamps.

2. The duties imposed by this Ordinance in respect of Bills of Exchange drawn out of this Colony, shall attach and be payable upon all such Bills as shall be paid, indorsed, transferred, or otherwise negociated within this Colony, wheresoever the same may be payable; and the said duties shall be denoted by adhesive Stamps, to be provided by the Commissioner of Stamps for that purpose, and to be affixed to such Bills as hereinafter directed.

Bills purporting to be drawn out of this Colony, deemed for the purposes of this Ordinance, to be so drawn.

3. Every Bill of Exchange which shall purport to be drawn at any place out of this Colony, shall, for all the purposes of this Ordinance, be deemed to be a foreign Bill of Exchange, drawn out of this Colony, and shall be chargeable with Stamp duty accordingly, notwithstanding that in fact the same may have been drawn within this Colony.

The holder of a Bill drawn out of this Colony to affix an adhesive Stamp thereon before negotiating it.

Penalty for negotiating such Bill without a Stamp affixed, or neglecting to cancel such Stamp.

4. The holder of any Bill of Exchange drawn out of this Colony, and not having a proper adhesive Stamp affixed thereon as herein directed, shall, before he shall present the same for payment, or indorse, transfer, or in any manner negotiate such Bill, affix thereon a proper adhesive Stamp for denoting the duty by this Ordinance charged on such Bill; and the person who shall indorse, transfer, or negotiate such Bill, shall, before he shall deliver the same out of his hands, custody, or power, cancel the Stamp so affixed, by writing thereon his name, or the name of his firm, or part of such name, and also the date of the day and year on which he shall so write the same, to the end that the same Stamp may not be again used for any other purpose; and if any person shall present for payment, or shall pay, or indorse, transfer, or negotiate any such Bill as aforesaid, whereon there shall not be such adhesive Stamp as aforesaid duly affixed; or if any person who ought, as directed by this Ordinance, to cancel such Stamp in manner aforesaid, shall refuse or neglect so to do, such person so offending in any such case, shall forfeit the sum of Twenty pounds; and no person who shall take or receive from any other person any such Bill as aforesaid, either in payment or as a security, or by purchase or otherwise, shall be entitled to recover thereon, or to make the same available for any purpose whatever, unless at the time when he shall so take or receive such Bill, there shall be such Stamp as aforesaid affixed thereon, and cancelled in the manner hereby directed.

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Penalty for making inland Bills, &c. not duly stamped.

5. If any person shall within this Colony make, sign, or issue, or caused to be made, signed, or issued, or accept, or pay, or cause or permit to be accepted or paid, any Bill of Exchange, Draft, or Order, or Promissory Note, for the payment of money, liable to any of the duties imposed by this Ordinance, without the paper whereon the same is written being impressed with a Stamp denoting the duty charged on such instrument by this Ordinance, he shall, for every such Bill, Draft, Order, or Note, forfeit the sum of Twenty pounds; and no person who shall take or receive from any other person any such Bill, Draft, Order, or Note, as aforesaid, either in payment or as a security, or by purchase or otherwise, shall be entitled to recover thereon, or to make the same available for any purpose whatever; nor shall it be lawful for the Commissioner of Stamps to send to the Colonial Secretary to be stamped any paper, after any Bill, Draft, Order, or Note has been written thereon, under any pretence whatsoever. Provided that nothing in this section contained shall extend or be construed to apply to Foreign Bills of Exchange drawn out of this Colony, nor to Drafts or Orders for payment of money to the bearer or to order on demand, which shall have an adhesive Stamp affixed thereto, as hereinafter mentioned.

Penalty for drawing and issuing, or transferring or negotiating Bills purporting to be drawn in a set, and not drawing the whole number of the set.

Penalty on taking or receiving such Bills.

6. If any person shall within this Colony draw and issue any Bill of Exchange payable out of this Colony, purporting to be drawn in a set, and shall not draw and issue on paper duly stamped as required by law, the whole number of Bills which such Bill purports the set to consist of; or if any person shall within this Colony transfer or negotiate any such Bill of Exchange as aforesaid, purporting to be drawn in a set, and shall not at the same time transfer or deliver on paper duly stamped as aforesaid, the whole number of Bills which such Bill purports the set to consist of, every such person so offending in any of such cases shall forfeit the sum of Fifty pounds; and if any person shall take or receive in this Colony any such Bill as aforesaid, either in payment or as a security, or by purchase or otherwise, without having transferred or delivered to him duly stamped as aforesaid the whole number of Bills which such Bill purports the set to consist of, he shall not be entitled to recover on any such Bill, or to make the same available for any purpose whatever.

Stamps denoting the duty of 1d. on Drafts and Receipts may be impressed or affixed.

7. The duty of One Penny imposed by this Ordinance on Drafts or Orders for payment of money to the bearer or to order on demand, and on Receipts respectively, may be denoted either by a Stamp impressed upon the paper whereon any such instrument is written, or by an adhesive Stamp affixed thereto, and the Commissioner of Stamps shall provide Stamps of both descriptions, for the purpose of denoting the said duties.

Where adhesive Stamp is used, it is to be cancelled by writing the name on it.

8. In any case where an adhesive stamp shall be used for the purpose aforesaid, on any Draft or Order, or on any Receipt respectively, chargeable with the duty of One penny by this Ordinance, the person by whom such Draft or Order shall be signed or made, or such Receipt given, shall, before it shall be delivered out of his hands, custody or power, cancel the stamp so affixed, by writing thereon his name, or the name of his firm, or part of such name, to the end that the same stamp may not be again used for any other purpose; and if any person who shall make or sign any such Draft or Order, or write or give any such Receipt or Discharge with an adhesive stamp thereon, shall not *bonâ fide* in manner aforesaid, effectually cancel such stamp, he shall forfeit the sum of Ten Pounds.

Penalty for committing frauds in the use of adhesive Stamps.

9. If any person shall fraudulently get off or remove, or cause or procure to be gotten off or removed from any paper whereon any Bill of Exchange, Draft or Order, or Receipt shall be written, any adhesive stamp,—or if any person shall affix or use any such stamp which shall have been gotten off or removed from any paper whereon any Bill of Exchange, Draft or Order, or Receipt, shall have been written, to or for any Bill of Exchange, Draft or Order, or Receipt, or any paper whereon any such Bill of Exchange, Draft or Order, or Receipt shall be or be intended to be written,—or if any person shall do or practise, or be concerned in any fraudulent act, contrivance or device whatever, not specially provided for by this or some other Ordinance, with intent or design to defraud Her Majesty, Her Heirs or Successors, of any duty imposed by this Ordinance upon Bills of Exchange drawn out of this Colony, or upon Drafts or Orders for payment of money to the bearer or to order on demand, or upon Receipts, every person so offending in any of the said several cases shall forfeit the sum of Twenty pounds.

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Adhesive stamps of 1d. may be used for Drafts or Receipts, without regard to their special appropriation.

10. The adhesive stamps provided by the Commissioner of Stamps for denoting the duty of one penny payable on Drafts or Orders for payment of money to the bearer or to order on demand, and on Receipts respectively, may lawfully be used for the purpose of denoting the like amount of duty either on such draft or order as aforesaid or on a receipt, without regard to the special appropriation thereof for the other of such instruments by having its name on the face thereof.

Drafts to Bankers payable to order on demand sufficient authority for payment without proof of indorsement.

11. Any Draft or Order drawn upon a banker for a sum of money payable to order on demand, which shall, when presented for payment, purport to be indorsed by the person to whom the same shall be drawn payable, shall be a sufficient authority to such banker to pay the amount of such Draft or Order to the bearer thereof; and it shall not be incumbent on such banker to prove that such indorsement, or any subsequent indorsement, was made by or under the direction or authority of the person to whom the said draft or order was or is made payable either by the drawer or any indorser thereof.

Notes and Bills issued by Bankers liable to Stamp duties and composition for the same.

12. All unstamped Promissory Notes and Bills of Exchange issued by any Banker or banking corporation in this Colony, and in circulation when this Ordinance comes into force, shall be subject and liable to the Stamp duties and composition for Stamp duties, imposed by or payable under this or any other Ordinance in force, upon or in respect of Promissory Notes for the payment of money to the bearer on demand.

Exemption from receipt Stamp duty of letters by post acknowledging receipt of bills, &c., repealed.

13. And whereas under and by virtue of the said Ordinance No. 19 of 1852, letters by the General Post acknowledging the safe arrival of any Bills of Exchange, Promissory Notes, or other securities for money are exempted from the Stamp duty imposed on receipts or discharges given for or upon the payment of money, and it is expedient to repeal the same: It is therefore enacted, that the said exemption shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Terms and conditions on which instruments may be stamped after the signing thereof.

14. And whereas for securing the due payment of the Stamp duties imposed by law on certain instruments, it is expedient to alter the terms and conditions on which any such instrument may be stamped after the execution or signing thereof: It is therefore enacted, that where any instrument liable by law to any Stamp duty, shall be written on paper or other material, and shall be signed or executed by any person before such paper or other material shall be duly stamped for denoting the payment of such duty, then and in every such case there shall be due, recovered, and paid to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, the whole or (as the case may be) the deficiency of the Stamp duty payable upon or in respect of such instrument, and there shall also be paid and payable, over and above the said duty or deficiency of duty, by way of penalty, and in lieu of any former penalty imposed or made payable by law in the like case, the sum of Five Pounds; and where the whole amount of the duty or deficiency of duty, as the case may be, to be denoted by the Stamp or Stamps required to be impressed on such instrument when the same shall be brought or sent to be stamped, shall exceed the sum of Five pounds, there shall be paid by way of penalty, in addition to the sum of Five Pounds, interest on the said duty or deficiency of duty computed at the rate of Nine pounds *per centum per annum* from the date or first signing or execution of such instrument; provided, that if such interest shall exceed in amount the said duty or deficiency of duty, then there shall be paid by way of penalty, in addition to the said duty or deficiency of duty and the said sum of Five pounds, and in lieu of the said interest, a sum equal to the amount of the said duty or deficiency of duty. And the Commissioner of Stamps is hereby required, upon payment of the said duty or deficiency of duty, and of the said sum or sums hereinbefore directed to be paid by way of penalty, to cause the said instrument to be sent to the Colonial Secretary, in order that the same may be duly stamped with a Stamp or Stamps for denoting the payment of such duty or deficiency of duty.

Commissioner of Stamps may remit penalty on stamping certain instruments within twelve months after the signing thereof.

Provided always, that where it shall appear to the Commissioner of Stamps, upon oath or otherwise, to his satisfaction, that any instrument hath not been duly stamped previously to being signed or executed, by reason of accident, mistake, inadvertency, or urgent necessity, and without any wilful design or intention to defraud Her Majesty, Her Heirs or Successors, of the duty chargeable in respect thereof, or to evade or delay the payment of such duty, then and in every such case, if such instrument shall be brought or sent to the

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Commissioner of Stamps to be stamped within twelve months after the first signing or executing the same by any person, and the Stamp duty chargeable thereon by law shall be paid, it shall be lawful for such Commissioner of Stamps, with the previous sanction and under the authority of the Governor, to remit the whole or any part of the penalty payable on stamping such instrument, and to send such instrument to the Colonial Secretary to be duly stamped, upon payment of the whole, or, as the case may be, the deficiency of the Stamp duty chargeable thereon by law, and either with or without any portion of the said penalty: Provided also, that nothing herein contained shall extend or be deemed or construed to extend to any deed or instrument, for the stamping of which after the signing or execution thereof provision is specially made by any law which shall be in force when this Ordinance shall have come into operation; or to any deed or instrument the stamping of which after the signing or execution thereof is expressly prohibited or restricted by any such law as aforesaid; or to repeal, alter, or affect any such provision, prohibition, or restriction.

Not to extend to Instruments for the stamping of which after the signing thereof special provision is made, or to cases where the stamping is prohibited by law.

Commissioner may stamp instruments executed abroad, without any penalty, on their being brought for that purpose within two months after their arrival in this Colony.

15. Provided always, that it shall be lawful for the Commissioner of Stamps to transmit to the Colonial Secretary, for the purpose of being duly stamped, any instrument which shall have been, or shall or may be signed or executed by any party thereto, at any place out of this Colony, upon payment of the proper Stamp duty payable thereon, and without payment of any additional duty or penalty, provided such instrument shall be brought to the Commissioner of Stamps to be stamped as aforesaid within the space of Two months from the time when the same shall have been received in this Colony, and provided proof shall be first made to the satisfaction of the said Commissioner of the facts aforesaid.

Making provision for the removal of doubts as to the sufficiency of Stamp duty paid on instruments.

16. And whereas it is expedient to make provision for the removal of doubts which may arise as to the Stamp duties with which some instruments are chargeable: It is therefore enacted, that when any instrument liable to Stamp Duty, whether previously stamped or otherwise, shall be presented to the Commissioner of Stamps at his Office, and the party presenting the same shall desire to have the opinion of the said Commissioner as to the Stamp duty with which such instrument in his judgment is chargeable, and shall tender and pay to the said Commissioner a fee of Ten shillings (which shall be accounted for and paid over as part of Her Majesty's revenue arising from Stamp duties), it shall be lawful for the said Commissioner, and he is hereby required, to assess and charge the Stamp duty to which in his judgment such instrument is liable, and upon payment of the Stamp duty so assessed and charged by him, or in the case of an instrument insufficiently stamped, of such a sum as, together with the Stamp duty already paid thereon, shall be equal to the duty so assessed and charged, and upon payment also of the amount, if any, payable by way of penalty on stamping such instrument, to stamp such instrument with the Stamp denoting the amount of the duty so paid; and thereupon, or if the full Stamp duty to which in the judgment of the said Commissioner such instrument shall be liable shall have been previously paid and denoted upon the same in manner aforesaid, the said Commissioner shall send such instrument to the Colonial Secretary, in order that a particular Stamp to be provided for that purpose, with such word, device, or symbol thereon as shall be thought proper in that behalf, may be impressed upon such instrument; and such last mentioned Stamp shall be deemed and taken to signify and denote that the full amount of Stamp duty with which such instrument is by law chargeable has been paid, and every instrument upon which the same shall be impressed, shall be deemed to have been duly stamped, and shall be receivable in evidence in all Courts, notwithstanding any objection made to the same as being insufficiently stamped; Provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed or construed to extend to require or authorize the said Commissioner to send to the Colonial Secretary to be stamped as last aforesaid, any Probate of a Will or Letters of Administration, or any instrument after the signing or execution thereof, in any case in which the stamping thereof is expressly prohibited by any law in force.

Party dissatisfied with the Commissioner's determination may appeal to

17. Provided, that if the party presenting such instrument to the said Commissioner as aforesaid, for his opinion as to the Stamp duty with which the same is chargeable, shall declare himself dissatisfied with the determination made by him in that behalf, it

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the Supreme Court, and the duty shall be paid according to the decision of such Court.

shall be lawful for such party, upon paying the amount of the Stamp duty and penalty according to such determination, to require the said Commissioner to state specially and to sign the case on which the question with respect to such Stamp duty arose, together with his determination thereupon, which case the said Commissioner is hereby required to state and sign accordingly, and to cause the same to be delivered to the party making such request as aforesaid, in order that he may appeal against such determination to the Supreme Court; and upon the application of the said party (due notice thereof being given to the Queen's Advocate, to the end that he may be heard on behalf of Her Majesty), it shall be lawful for the said Court, and the said Court is hereby required to hear and determine the said appeal, and to decide as to the Stamp duty with which such instrument is chargeable, and according to such decision the Stamp duty and penalty (if any) which shall have been the subject of such case, shall be deemed to have been payable by law; and if any excess of Stamp duty or penalty shall have been paid to the said Commissioner by the said appellant, over and above the sum which, according to the decision of the said Court ought to have been paid upon or in respect of such instrument, the same shall be repaid by the said Commissioner to the said appellant; and if the sum paid for Stamp duty or penalty upon or in respect of such instrument shall fall short of the amount which, according to the decision of the said Court upon any such appeal, is chargeable or ought to be paid upon or in respect of such instrument, the deficiency of such Stamp duty or penalty, or both, as the case may be, shall be paid by the said appellant to the said Commissioner, and the Court shall order and enforce the payment thereof accordingly.

Commissioner may adjudge that a deed is not liable to Stamp duty.

18. It shall be lawful for any person to present to the said Commissioner any deed or instrument, and upon payment of the fee of ten shillings as in the 16th section mentioned, to require his opinion whether or not the same is chargeable with any Stamp duty, and if the said Commissioner shall be of opinion that such instrument is not chargeable with any Stamp duty, it shall be lawful for him, and he is hereby required, to send the same to the Colonial Secretary, in order that a particular Stamp to be provided for that purpose with such word, device or symbol thereon as shall be thought proper in that behalf, may be impressed on such instrument, to signify and denote that the same is not chargeable with any Stamp duty; and every such instrument upon which the said Stamp shall be impressed shall be deemed to be not so chargeable, and shall be receivable in evidence in all Courts, notwithstanding any objection made to the same as being chargeable with Stamp duty, and not stamped to denote the same. Provided, that if the said Commissioner shall assess and charge any Stamp duty upon or in respect of any such instrument, and the party presenting the same and paying such duty shall declare himself dissatisfied with such determination, it shall be lawful for him to appeal against the same to the Supreme Court on the terms and in the manner in the preceding section provided; and the said Court shall hear and determine the appeal, and decide whether the said instrument is chargeable with any, and if any, what Stamp duty; and if the Court is of opinion that the same is not so chargeable, or is chargeable with a less amount of duty than shall have been assessed and charged thereon, then the amount of such duty, or of the excess (as the case may be) shall be returned to the appellant; and if the Court shall be of opinion that any further duty is chargeable on the said instrument, such further duty shall be paid to the said Commissioner, and the Court shall order and enforce the payment thereof accordingly.

Commissioner before assessing the duty upon any deed, may require proof that the facts upon which the duty depends are truly stated.

19. And to prevent fraud and evasion of Stamp duty in any case where application is made to the Commissioner of Stamps to assess and charge the Stamp duty to which any deed or instrument is liable, or to impress on any deed or instrument the particular Stamp provided to denote the payment of the full and proper duty on the same, or on any other deed or instrument, or that any deed or instrument is not liable to any Stamp duty, it shall be lawful for the said Commissioner to require such evidence by affidavit as he may deem necessary, in order to shew to his satisfaction the quantity of words contained in any such deed or instrument, and whether or not the consideration, or any definite or certain sum or sums of money, stock, or other valuable matter or thing capable of being ascertained and set forth, or any other facts, upon the full and proper statement of any of which matters and things in such deed or instrument the Stamp duty which shall be or which ought to be payable thereon shall in any measure depend, is or are truly and fully set forth therein; and it shall be lawful for the said Commissioner in

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any case to refuse to send to the Colonial Secretary for the purpose of having impressed on any such deed or instrument, or on any duplicate respectively, the particular Stamp to denote the payment of the full and proper duty as aforesaid, except on payment of the full Stamp duty which would be chargeable on such deed or instrument if all or any of such matters and things aforesaid had been truly set forth therein.

The affidavit not to be used for any other purpose.

20. Provided that no such affidavit shall be used against any person making the same in any proceeding whatever, except only in any inquiry as to the Stamp duty with which such deed or instrument is chargeable; and every such person shall, upon payment of such full Stamp duty as aforesaid, be relieved from any penalty, forfeiture, or disability he may have incurred by reason of the omission to state truly in such deed or instrument any of the facts, matters, and things aforesaid.

Provision for stamping documents at the trial.

21. And whereas it is expedient to make other provision relative to the stamping of documents tendered in evidence on any trial. It is enacted, that upon the production of any document liable to Stamp duty as evidence at the trial of any cause, which is unstamped or not sufficiently stamped, it shall be the duty of the officer of the Court whose duty it is to read such document, to call the attention of the Judge to any omission or insufficiency of the Stamp, if the same has not been already noticed by the Judge; and the document, if unstamped or not sufficiently stamped, shall not (except as hereinafter provided) be received in evidence until the whole or (as the case may be) the deficiency of the Stamp duty, and the penalty required by Ordinance, together with the additional penalty of ten shillings, shall have been paid into Court.

On payment into Court of duty and penalty, document to be received in evidence.

22. Upon payment into Court of the whole or (as the case may be) of the deficiency of the Stamp duty payable upon or in respect of such document, and of the penalty required by Ordinance, and of the additional penalty of Ten shillings, the proper officer of the Court shall give a receipt for the amount of the duty or deficiency which the Judge shall determine to be payable, and also of the penalty; and thereupon such document shall be admissible in evidence, saving all just exceptions on other grounds; and an entry of the fact of such payment, and of the amount thereof, shall be made in the record of such cause; and a Return shall be made by the Court at the end of every month to the Commissioner of Stamps of the monies, if any, so paid into Court by way of duty or penalty, distinguishing between such monies, and stating the number of the cause, and the names of the parties thereto, and from whom such monies were received, and the date, if any, and description of the document, for the purpose of identifying the same: and the said Commissioner shall, upon request and production of the receipt hereinbefore mentioned, send such document to the Colonial Secretary to be stamped with the proper Stamp in respect of the sum so paid as aforesaid. Provided that the aforesaid enactment shall not extend to any document which cannot now be stamped after the execution thereof, on payment of the duty and a penalty.

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In certain cases Judge may allow time to party to pay duty and penalties.

23. Provided always, that it shall be lawful for the Judge, in his discretion, to allow a party tendering any unstamped or insufficiently stamped document in evidence, (if such document may be stamped after the execution thereof on payment of the duty and a penalty,) in any case in which it shall appear to the Judge that such party was previously ignorant of the objection to the reception in evidence of the document, on the ground that the same is not stamped or not sufficiently stamped, and that such party is unable forthwith to pay into Court the amount of the duty or deficiency of duty and the penalties aforesaid, such time (not exceeding three days) as the Judge shall deem reasonable for the payment into Court of such duty or deficiency of duty and penalties as aforesaid, on the undertaking of the party to pay the same at the appointed time. And thereupon the Court shall allow the trial of the cause to proceed, and such document to be put in evidence, saving all just exceptions on other grounds, but shall suspend the judgment therein for the time allowed for making such payment; and if payment is then made, the receipt mentioned in the preceding section shall be given, and such further proceedings had as are therein specified; but if such payment be not then made, the Court shall strike out the evidence relating to such document, and give judgment in the cause irrespective of such document, and shall cause the amount which such

Proceedings thereupon.

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party has undertaken to pay into Court as aforesaid, to be forthwith levied by process of parate execution against his property and person—such process to be free of Stamp duty.

No appeal against judgment as to stamp.

24. No appeal shall lie against the judgment or ruling of any Court that the Stamp upon any document is sufficient, or that the document does not require a Stamp; and no final judgment of any Court shall on appeal be reversed or set aside, and no new trial shall be granted, by reason of any error of such Court in regard to the Stamp duty on any document.

All persons receiving monies for Stamp duties, and misappropriating the same, to be liable for the amount to the Crown, and the District Court to enforce payment thereof.

25. If any person shall have received or gotten into his hands, or shall receive or get into his hands, any sum of money as and for the Stamp duty upon or in respect of any deed, instrument, or transaction, or intended deed, instrument or transaction, and shall improperly neglect or omit to appropriate such sum of money to the due payment of such duty, or shall otherwise by or under any means or pretence whatsoever improperly withhold or detain the same, every such person shall be accountable for the amount of such duty or sum of money; and the same shall be a debt from such person to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, and recoverable as such accordingly; and it shall be lawful for the District Court within the jurisdiction of which such person or his executor or administrator resides, upon the application of the Queen's Advocate, and upon such affidavit as to such Court may appear sufficient, to grant a rule requiring such person, or his executor or administrator, to shew cause why he should not deliver to the Commissioner of Stamps an account upon oath of all such duties and sums of money as aforesaid, and why the same should not be forthwith paid to the said Commissioner of Stamps, or to the Government Agent or some Assistant Government Agent of the Province in which such person is resident; and it shall be lawful for such Court to examine any such person in reference to such account, if such Court shall think proper so to do; and it shall be lawful for such Court to make absolute any such rule as aforesaid, in every case in which the same may appear to such Court to be proper and necessary, and to enforce by attachment or otherwise the payment of any such duties or sums of money as on such proceedings shall appear to such Court to be due, together with the costs of all such proceedings.

Stamp venders to mark stamped paper sold by them.

26. Every person authorized to vend or deal in Stamps, shall be bound and required, on the sale of any stamped paper, and before delivery thereof to the purchaser, to mark the paper or other material whereon the Stamp is impressed (on or as near to the impression of such Stamp as is convenient) with the name, or the initial letters of the name of such Stamp vender, and with the date of sale. But nothing herein contained shall be deemed to apply to adhesive Stamps.

Discount allowed to licensed dealers in Stamps.

27. And whereas by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1852, a discount of Five per cent. is allowed to licensed dealers in Stamps on the purchase of Stamps amounting to Twenty pounds or upwards, and it is expedient, in certain cases, to allow to such licensed dealers a discount of Two and a half per cent. on the purchase of Stamps amounting to Ten and under Twenty pounds: It is enacted, that a discount after the rate of Five pounds *per centum* on the prompt payment of any sum amounting to Twenty pounds or upwards, and (in any case in which the Governor shall in his discretion think fit to authorize the same), a discount after the rate of Two pounds and Ten shillings *per centum* on the prompt payment of any sum amounting to Ten pounds and under Twenty pounds, by any person licensed to vend or deal in Stamps under the authority of the said Ordinance, on the purchase by him of any stamped paper or other material at the Stamp Office in Colombo, or from any Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent, shall be allowed to such licensed dealer by the Commissioner of Stamps, Government Agent, or Assistant Government Agent, as the case may be.

Allowance on the purchase of Stamps not exceeding the rate of 1s. duty for drafts, bills, and notes.

28. And in order to encourage the purchase of Stamps for Drafts, Bills, and Notes of the several rates and denominations hereinafter mentioned, and to facilitate the distribution and supply thereof, there shall be granted and allowed to every person who at one and the same time shall produce at the office of the Commissioner of Stamps, paper to be stamped with such Stamps, or any of them, to the amount of £5 in the whole, or shall purchase such Stamps

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or any of them to the like amount at the office of the said Commissioner, or of any Government Agent, or Assistant Government Agent, the allowance following, that is to say, on Stamps for denoting any rate of duty not exceeding One shilling on Bills of Exchange, Drafts, or Orders, or Promissory notes, an allowance after the rate of 7½ *per centum* on the amount of such Stamp duties respectively; provided that no allowance shall be made on any fraction of a pound; which said allowances are in lieu of any allowance payable on Stamps of the like rates and denominations under the preceding section.

Forging die, &c.

29. If any person shall forge or counterfeit, or cause or procure to be forged or counterfeited, any die or other instrument, or any part of any die or other instrument, which hath been, or shall or may be provided, made or used, by or under the direction of the Governor, or by or under the direction of any other person legally authorized in that behalf, for the purpose of expressing or denoting any duty, or any part thereof, which shall be under the care and management of the Commissioner of Stamps, or for the purpose of denoting or testifying the payment of any such duty, or any part thereof;—or shall forge, counterfeit, or imitate, or cause or procure to be forged, counterfeited, or imitated, the stamp, mark or impression, or any part of the stamp, mark or impression, of any such die or other instrument as aforesaid, upon any paper or other material whatever, or the name, or initial letters of the name, of the said Commissioner or of any person authorized to vend or deal in Stamps, upon any stamped paper or other material whatever;—or shall knowingly and without lawful excuse (the proof whereof shall lie on the person accused) have in his possession any false, forged or counterfeit die or other instrument, or part of any such die or other instrument, resembling or intended to resemble, either wholly or in part, any die or other instrument which hath been, or shall or may be so provided, made or used as aforesaid;—or shall stamp or mark, or cause or procure to be stamped or marked, any paper or other material with any such false, forged or counterfeit die or other instrument or part of any such die or other instrument as aforesaid;—or shall use, utter, sell, or expose to sale, or shall cause or procure to be used, uttered, sold, or exposed to sale, or shall knowingly and without lawful excuse (the proof whereof shall lie on the person accused) have in his possession any paper or other material having thereon the impression, or any part of the impression of any such false, forged or counterfeit die or other instrument, or part of any such die or other instrument as aforesaid, or having thereon any false, forged or counterfeit stamp, mark, impression or writing, resembling or representing, either wholly or in part, or intended or liable to pass or be mistaken for the stamp, mark or impression of any such die or other instrument as aforesaid, or for the name or the initial letters of the name of such Commissioner, or of any person authorized to vend or deal in Stamps, knowing such false, forged or counterfeit stamp, mark, impression or writing to be false, forged or counterfeit;—or if any person shall, with intent to defraud Her Majesty, Her Heirs or Successors, privately or fraudulently use, or cause or procure to be privately or fraudulently used, any die or other instrument so provided, made or used, or hereafter to be provided, made or used as aforesaid, or shall with such intent privately or fraudulently stamp or mark, or cause or procure to be stamped or marked any paper or other material whatever with any such die or other instrument as last aforesaid;—or if any person shall knowingly and without lawful excuse (the proof whereof shall lie on the person accused) have in his possession any paper or other material so privately or fraudulently stamped or marked as aforesaid;—then, and in every such case every person so offending, and every person knowingly and wilfully aiding, abetting, or assisting any person in committing any such offence, and being thereof lawfully convicted, shall be liable, at the discretion of the Court, to be transported for life, or for any term not less than seven years, or to be imprisoned with or without hard labour, for any period not exceeding five years nor less than two years, as the Court shall award.

Forging the stamp of die, &c. or the name or initials of the Commissioner or any Stamp vender.

Having in possession a forged die, &c.

Stamping with a forged die, &c.

Using, selling, or having in possession paper with the impression of a forged die, &c.

Or with a forged stamp or name, &c.

Fraudulently using a genuine die.

Having in possession paper fraudulently stamped.

Punishment.

Instruments admissible in evidence in criminal cases, though not properly stamped.

30. Every instrument liable to Stamp duty shall be admitted in evidence in any criminal proceeding, although it may not have the Stamp required by law impressed thereon or affixed thereto.

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Provisions of former Ordinance to be in force and to be put in execution with regard to the duties hereby imposed.

31. All the powers, provisions, clauses and exemptions, fines, forfeitures, pains and penalties, contained in or imposed by the said Ordinance No. 19 of 1852, and the Schedule thereunto annexed, shall respectively be of full force and effect with respect to the duties imposed by this Ordinance, and to the instruments charged and chargeable therewith, and to the persons liable to the payment of the said duties, so far as the same are or shall be applicable, in all cases not hereby expressly provided for, and shall be observed, applied, allowed, enforced and put into execution for, and in the raising, levying, collecting and securing of the said duties hereby imposed, and otherwise in relation thereto, so far as the same shall not be superseded by and shall be consistent with the express provisions of this Ordinance, as fully and effectually, to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been herein repeated and specially enacted, *mutatis mutandis*, with reference to the said duties imposed by this Ordinance; and the Schedule annexed to the said Ordinance No. 19 of 1852, and the Schedule to this Ordinance annexed, shall be read and construed as one Schedule and as one Ordinance.

Certain sections of Ordinance No. 19 of 1852 repealed.

32. The 6th, 7th, 9th, 16th, 17th, and 39th Sections of the said Ordinance No. 19 of 1852, are hereby repealed.

Ordinance when to come into operation.

33. This Ordinance shall come into operation on such day as shall be mentioned in the Proclamation by the Governor in the Government Gazette of this Island, notifying that the same has been confirmed by Her Majesty.

SCHEDULE.

					Duty.		
					£	s.	d.
INLAND BILL OF EXCHANGE, Draft or Order for the payment to the Bearer, or to order, at any time otherwise than on demand, of any sum of money not exceeding				£2	0	0	1
Exceeding	2	and not exceeding		5	0	0	2
„	5	„		10	0	0	4
„	10	„		25	0	0	6
„	25	„		50	0	1	0
„	50	„		75	0	1	6
„	75	„		100	0	2	0
„	100	„		200	0	4	0
„	200	„		300	0	6	0
„	300	„		400	0	8	0
„	400	„		500	0	10	0
„	500	„		750	0	15	0
„	750	„		1000	1	0	0
„	1000	„		1500	1	10	0
„	1500	„		2000	2	0	0
„	2000	„		3000	3	0	0
„	3000	„		4000	4	0	0
„	4000 and upwards				4	10	0
FOREIGN BILLS OF EXCHANGE drawn in, but payable out of this Colony, If drawn singly, or otherwise than in a set of three or more, the same duty as on an Inland Bill of the same amount and tenour.							
If drawn in sets of three or more, for every Bill of each set, Where the sum payable thereby shall not exceed				£25	0	0	2
And where it shall exceed	£25	and not exceed		50	0	0	4
„	50	„		75	0	0	6
„	75	„		100	0	0	8
„	100	„		200	0	1	4
„	200	„		300	0	2	0
„	300	„		400	0	2	8
„	400	„		500	0	3	4
„	500	„		750	0	5	0
„	750	„		1000	0	6	8
„	1000	„		1500	0	10	0
„	1500	„		2000	0	13	4
„	2000	„		3000	1	0	0
„	3000	„		4000	1	6	8
„	4000 and upwards				1	10	0

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	Duty. £	s.	d.
Foreign Bill of Exchange drawn out of this Colony and payable within this Colony, the same duty as on an Inland Bill of the same amount and tenour.			
Foreign Bill of Exchange drawn out of this Colony and payable out of this Colony, but indorsed or negotiated within this Colony, the same duty as on a Foreign Bill drawn within this Colony and payable out of this Colony.			
Conveyance or transfer of immoveable property:			
Where the purchase or consideration money therein or thereupon expressed shall not exceed £5	0	1	0
And where the same shall exceed £5 and not exceed £10 .	0	2	0
" 10 " . 20 .	0	4	0
" 20 " . 30 .	0	6	0
" 30 " . 40 .	0	8	0
" 40 " . 50 .	0	10	0
" 50 " . 75 .	0	15	0
" 75 " . 100 .	1	0	0
And for every additional £25 or part thereof, a further progressive duty of	0	5	0

Note. 1.—Where property of different tenures or holdings, or held under different titles, contracted to be sold at one entire price for the whole shall be conveyed to the purchaser in separate parts or parcels, by different deeds or instruments, the purchase or consideration money shall be divided and apportioned in such manner as the parties shall think fit, so that a distinct price or consideration for each separate part or parcel may be set forth in or upon the instrument of conveyance relating thereto; which instrument shall be charged with the duty in respect of the price or consideration money therein set forth.

2.—And where property, contracted to be purchased by two or more persons jointly, or by any person for himself and others, or wholly for others, at one entire price for the whole shall be conveyed in parts by separate deeds or instruments to the persons for whom the same shall be purchased, for distinct parts or shares of the purchase money; the instrument of conveyance of each separate part or parcel shall be charged with the duty in respect of the sum of money therein specified as the consideration for the same.

3.—But if separate parts or parcels of such property shall be conveyed to, or to the use of or in trust for different persons, in and by one and the same deed or instrument, then such instrument shall be charged with the duty in respect of the aggregate amount of the purchase or consideration monies therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid for the property thereby conveyed.

4.—Where any person, having contracted for the purchase of property but not having obtained a conveyance thereof, shall contract to sell to any other person and the same shall in consequence be conveyed immediately to the sub-purchaser; the instrument of conveyance shall be charged with the duty, in respect of the purchase or consideration money therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid by the sub-purchaser.

5.—And where any person having contracted for the purchase of property, but not having obtained a conveyance thereof, shall contract to sell the whole or any part or parts thereof, to any other person or persons, and the same shall, in consequence, be conveyed by the original seller to different persons in parts or parcels; the instrument of conveyance of each part or parcel thereof shall be charged with the duty in respect only of the purchase or consideration money which shall be therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid for the same, by the person or persons to whom or to whose use or in trust for whom the conveyance shall be made, without regard to the amount of the original purchase money.

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	Duty. £	s.	d.
6.—And in all cases of such sub-sales as aforesaid, the sub-purchasers and the person immediately selling to them, shall be deemed and taken to be the purchasers and sellers, within the intent and meaning of the provisions and regulations of this Ordinance relating to the duties on conveyances of property hereby imposed.			
7.—But where any such sub-purchasers shall take an actual conveyance of the interest of the person immediately selling to him, which shall be chargeable with the duty in respect of the purchase or consideration money paid or agreed to be paid by him, and shall be duly stamped accordingly; the instrument of conveyance to be afterwards made to him of the property in question by the original seller, shall be exempted from the duty, and be charged only with the duty on a notarial deed.			
8.—And where any property, separately contracted to be purchased of different persons, at separate and distinct prices, shall be conveyed to the purchaser, or as he shall direct, in and by one and the same instrument; the instrument shall be charged with the said duty in respect of the aggregate amount of the purchase or consideration monies therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid for the same.			
9.—And where any lands or other property shall be sold and conveyed in consideration wholly or in part of any sum of money charged thereon by way of mortgage or otherwise, and then due and owing to the purchaser; or shall be sold and conveyed subject to any mortgage or other debt, or to any gross or entire sum of money to be afterwards paid by the purchaser, such sum of money or debt shall be deemed the purchase or consideration money, or part of the purchase or consideration money, as the case may be, in respect whereof the *ad valorem* duty is to be paid, notwithstanding the purchaser shall not be or become personally liable, or shall not undertake or agree to pay or to indemnify the vendor or any other person against the same.			
10.—And where there shall be several deeds, instruments or writings, for completing the title to the property sold; such of them as are not liable to the said *ad valorem* duty, shall be charged with the duty to which the same may be liable, under any general or particular description of such deeds, instruments or writings contained in the Schedule to the said Ordinance No. 19 of 1852.			
11.—And when any deed or instrument, operating as a conveyance on the sale of any property, shall operate also as a conveyance of any other than the property sold by way of settlement, or for any other purpose, or shall also contain any other matter or things besides what shall be incident to the sale and conveyance of the property sold, or relate to the title thereto, such instrument shall be charged, in addition to the duty to which it shall be liable as a conveyance, with such further Stamp duty, as any separate deed containing the other matter, would have been chargeable with.			
CONVEYANCE or transfer of immoveable property of any kind whatsoever, not charged in this Schedule nor expressly exempted from Stamp Duty	0	10	0
Provided that where any instrument hereinbefore specified shall be executed or acknowledged before a Notary Public, or shall be executed before some public officer under the authority of the Ordinance No. 17 of 1852, entitled "*To make further provision touching the execution of certain deeds and instruments*," or shall be executed by any Fiscal or Deputy Fiscal in the execution of his office, the Stamp duty hereby chargeable on such instrument, shall be chargeable on the duplicate or counterpart thereof, instead of the original instrument; and in such case, if the duty exceed the sum of five shillings, the original instrument shall bear a stamp of	0	2	0

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	Duty. £	s.	d.
DRAFT or ORDER for the payment of any sum of money to the Bearer or to order on demand	0	0	1

And the following instruments shall be deemed and taken to be Drafts or Orders for the payment of money within the intent and meaning of this Ordinance, and shall be chargeable accordingly with the Stamp duties imposed by this Ordinance; viz.

All documents or writings usually termed Letters of Credit, or whereby any person to whom any such document or writing is, or is intended to be, delivered or sent, shall be entitled or be intended to be entitled, to have credit with, or in account with, or to draw upon any other person for, or to receive from such other person, any sum of money therein mentioned.

Exemptions from the Duties on Drafts or Orders.

All drafts or orders drawn by the Treasurer of this Colony, or any other Government Officer in the execution of his Office.

All drafts or orders for the payment of money to the bearer on demand drawn in any part of this Colony upon any Banker therein, provided the place where such drafts or orders shall be issued shall be specified therein, and that the same shall bear date on or before the day on which they shall be issued, and provided that the same do not direct the payment to be made by Bills or Promissory Notes.

All Letters of Credit, whether in sets or not, sent by persons in this Colony to persons out of the same authorizing drafts on the British Territories in India, or on Ceylon, or on any other of Her Majesty's Colonies or Foreign Possessions.

PROMISSORY NOTE for the payment, either to the bearer on demand or in any other manner than to the Bearer on demand, of any sum of money not exceeding . .	£2	0	0	1
Exceeding	£2	and not exceeding	5	0	0	2
„	5	„	10	0	0	4
„	10	„	25	0	0	6
„	25	„	50	0	1	0
„	50	„	75	0	1	6
„	75	„	100	0	2	0
„	100	„	200	0	4	0
„	200	„	300	0	6	0
„	300	„	400	0	8	0
„	400	„	500	0	10	0
„	500	„	750	0	15	0
„	750	„	1000	1	0	0
„	1000	„	1500	1	10	0
„	1500	„	2000	2	0	0
„	2000	„	3000	3	0	0
„	3000	„	4000	4	0	0
„	4000	and upwards		4	10	0
RECEIPT or discharge given for or upon the payment of money amounting to £2 or upwards				0	0	1

EXEMPTION.

Receipts given for money deposited in any Bank or in the hands of any Banker, to be accounted for, whether with interest or not; Provided the same be not expressed to be received of, or by the hands of any other than the person to whom the same is to be accounted for.

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No. 2. *To amend the law relating to the business of Bankers in this Colony.*

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to alter and amend in certain respects the Ordinance No. 23 of 1844, entitled "*An Ordinance for exempting certain written instruments employed by persons carrying on the business of Bankers from payment of Stamp duties, and for enabling such persons to make composition in lieu of Stamp duties on certain Promissory Notes and Bills of Exchange;*" It is hereby enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

Ordinance No. 23 of 1844.

Ordinance No. 23 of 1844 repealed.

1. The said Ordinance No. 23 of 1844 is hereby repealed.

Licensed Bankers may issue unstamped Notes and Bills of Exchange.

2. It shall be lawful for any banker or the agent of any banker in this Colony, having first obtained a licence for that purpose and given security by bond as hereinafter mentioned, to issue on unstamped paper Promissory Notes for any sum of money amounting to Ten shillings or upwards, expressed to be payable to bearer on demand, or to order at any period not exceeding seven days after sight; and also to draw and issue on unstamped paper Bills of Exchange expressed to be payable to order on demand, or at any period not exceeding seven days after sight, or twenty-one days after the date thereof. Provided such Bills of Exchange be drawn upon a banker in Colombo, or provided such Bills be drawn by any banker or the agent of any banker at any place within this Colony where such banker shall be licensed to issue unstamped Notes and Bills under the authority of this Ordinance, upon such banker, or his co-partners, payable at any other place within this Colony where such banker shall also be licensed to issue such Notes and Bills as aforesaid.

Proviso.

Commissioner of Stamps may grant licenses to bankers to issue unstamped Notes and Bills.

3. It shall be lawful for the Commissioner of Stamps of this Colony, to grant to any banker therein, who shall require the same, a licence authorizing such banker to issue such Promissory Notes, and to draw and issue such Bills of Exchange as aforesaid on unstamped paper: and every such licence shall be charged with a Stamp duty of Twenty pounds, and shall (notwithstanding any alteration which may take place in any copartnership of persons to whom the same shall have been granted) have effect and continue in force from the day of the date thereof, until the same day of the same month in the year next following, both days inclusive, and no longer.

Separate licences when to be taken out.

4. A separate licence shall be taken out in respect of every town or place where any such unstamped Promissory Notes or Bills of Exchange as aforesaid shall be issued or drawn. Provided that no banker shall be obliged to take out more than three licences in all for any number of towns or places in this Colony; and in case any banker shall issue or draw such unstamped Notes or Bills as aforesaid at more than three different towns or places, then, after taking out two distinct licences for two of such towns or places, such banker shall be entitled to have all the rest of such towns or places included in such third licence.

Notes and Bills to be re-issuable.

5. All such unstamped Notes and Bills may be reissued as often as shall be required.

Bankers while licensed not to issue Notes on stamped paper.

6. Provided that if any banker who shall take out a licence under the authority of this Ordinance, shall issue under the authority of this or any other Ordinance any unstamped Promissory Notes for payment of money to the bearer on demand, such banker shall, so long as he shall continue licensed as aforesaid, make and issue on unstamped paper all his Promissory Notes for payment of money to the bearer on demand, of whatever amount such notes may be, and it shall not be lawful for such banker, during the period aforesaid, to issue for the first time any such Promissory Note as aforesaid on stamped paper.

Licensed bankers to give security.

7. Before any licence shall be granted to any Banker, or the Agent of any Banker, to issue any unstamped Promissory Notes or Bills of Exchange under the authority of this Ordinance, such Banker shall give security by bond to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, with a condition that if such Banker do and shall from time to time enter or cause to be entered in a book or books to be kept for that purpose, an account of all such unstamped Promissory Notes

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and Bills of Exchange as he shall so as aforesaid issue or draw, specifying the amount or value thereof respectively, and the several dates of the issuing thereof, and in like manner also a similar account of all such Promissory Notes as having been issued as aforesaid shall have been cancelled, and the dates of the cancelling thereof, and of all such Bills of Exchange as having been drawn or issued as aforesaid shall have been paid, and the dates of the payments thereof, and do and shall from time to time when thereunto requested, produce and shew such accounts to, and permit them to be examined and inspected by the Commissioner of Stamps, and also do and shall deliver to the said Commissioner half yearly, (that is to say) within fourteen days after the first day of January and the first day of July in every year, a just and true account in writing, verified upon the oaths, to the best of the knowledge and belief of such Banker, and of his manager, cashier, accountant or chief clerk, or of such of them as the said Commissioner shall require, of the amount or value of all unstamped Promissory Notes and Bills of Exchange issued under the authority of this Ordinance, or of the Ordinance No. 23 of 1844, in circulation within the meaning of this Ordinance on a given day, (that is to say) on Saturday in every week for the space of half a year prior to the half yearly day immediately preceding the delivery of such accounts, together with the average amount or value of such Notes and Bills so in circulation according to such account and also do and shall pay or cause to be paid to the said Commissioner as a composition for the Stamp duties which would otherwise have been payable for such Promissory Notes and Bills of Exchange issued or in circulation during such half year, the sum of Eight shillings and Four pence for every One hundred pounds, and also for the fractional part of One hundred pounds, of the said average amount or value of such Notes and Bills in circulation, according to the true intent and meaning of this Ordinance; on due performance thereof such bond shall be void, but otherwise the same shall be and remain in full force and virtue.

For what periods Notes and Bills are to be deemed in circulation.

8. Every unstamped Promissory Note payable to the bearer on demand issued under the provisions of this Ordinance, shall for the purpose of payment of duty, be deemed to be in circulation from the day of the issuing to the day of the cancelling thereof, both days inclusive, excepting nevertheless the period during which such Note shall be in the hands of the Banker who first issued the same, or by whom the same shall be expressed to be payable; and every unstamped Promissory Note payable to order, and every unstamped Bill of Exchange so as aforesaid issued, shall for the purpose aforesaid, be deemed to be in circulation from the day of the issuing to the day of the payment thereof, both days inclusive: Provided always, that every such Promissory Note payable to order, and Bill of Exchange as aforesaid, which shall be paid in less than Seven days from the issuing thereof, shall, for the purpose aforesaid, be included in the account of Notes and Bills in circulation on the Saturday next after the day of the issuing thereof, as if the same were then actually in circulation.

Regulations respecting the bonds given pursuant to this Ordinance.

9. In every bond to be given pursuant to the provisions of this Ordinance the person or persons intending to issue any such unstamped Promissory Note, or to draw or issue any such unstamped Bills of Exchange as aforesaid, or such or so many of the said persons as the Commissioner of Stamps shall require, shall be the Obligors. And every such bond shall be taken in the sum of One hundred pounds, or in such larger sum as the said Commissioner may judge to be the probable amount of the composition for duties that will be payable from such person or persons under or by virtue of this Ordinance during the period of one year. And it shall be lawful for the said Commissioner to fix the time or times of payment of the said composition, and to specify the same in the condition to every such bond. And every such bond may be required to be renewed from time to time, at the discretion of the said Commissioner, and as often as the same shall be forfeited, or the parties to the same or any of them shall die, become insolvent, or reside out of this Colony.

Fresh bond to be given on alteration of co-partnership.

10. If any alteration shall be made in any co-partnership of persons who shall have given any such security by bond as aforesaid, whether such alteration shall be caused by the death or retirement of one or more of the partners of the firm, or by the accession of any additional or new partner, a fresh bond shall be given by the remaining partner or partners, or the persons composing the new co-partnership, as the case may be, which bond shall be taken as a security for the duties which may be due and owing, or may become due and owing in respect of the unstamped Notes and Bills which may have been issued by the persons composing the old co-partnership, and which shall be in circulation at the time of such alteration, as well as for duties which shall or may be or become due and

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owing in respect of the unstamped Notes and Bills issued or to be issued by the persons composing the new co-partnership. Provided that no such fresh bond shall be rendered necessary by any such alteration as aforesaid in any co-partnership of persons exceeding six in number, but that the bonds to be given by such last mentioned co-partnerships shall be taken as securities for all the duties they may incur, so long as they shall exist, or the persons composing the same or any of them shall carry on business in co-partnership together, or with any other person or persons, notwithstanding any alteration in such co-partnership; saving always to the Commissioner of Stamps the power of requiring a new bond in any case where he shall deem it necessary for better securing the payment of the said duties.

Proviso.

Penalty on bankers neglecting to renew their bonds.

11. If any person who shall have given security by bond to Her Majesty as aforesaid, shall refuse or neglect to renew such bond when forfeited, and as often as the same is by this Ordinance required to be renewed, he shall, for every such offence, forfeit the sum of Fifty pounds.

And on post-dating unstamped notes and Bills.

12. If any banker licensed under the provisions of this Ordinance, shall draw or issue, or cause to be drawn or issued, upon unstamped paper, any Promissory Note payable to order, or any Bill of Exchange, which shall bear date subsequently to the day on which it shall be issued, he shall, for every such Note or Bill, forfeit the sum of Fifty pounds.

This Ordinance not to exempt from penalties persons issuing unstamped Notes or Bills not in accordance herewith.

13. Nothing in this Ordinance contained shall be deemed or construed to exempt or relieve from the forfeitures or penalties imposed by any Ordinance in force upon persons issuing Promissory Notes or Bills of Exchange not duly stamped as the law requires, any person who under any color or pretence whatever shall issue any unstamped Promissory Note or Bill of Exchange, unless such person shall be licensed to issue such Note or Bill under the provisions of this Ordinance, and unless such Note or Bill shall be drawn and issued in strict accordance with the regulations and restrictions herein contained.

Explanation of the word "banker."

14. The word "banker," as used in this Ordinance, shall be deemed and taken to include any banking corporation or company.

Ordinance when to come into operation.

15. This Ordinance shall come into operation on such day as shall be mentioned in the Proclamation by the Governor in the Government Gazette of this Island, notifying that the same has been confirmed by Her Majesty.

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Stamp Duties

LEVIED UNDER THE ORDINANCE No. 19 OF 1852.

PART I.

Containing the duties on instruments of conveyance, contract, obligation and security for money; on deeds in general; and on other instruments, matters and things, not falling under either of the following heads.

PART II.

Containing the duties on Law proceedings, and in the Supreme Court, District Courts, and Courts of Requests respectively.

PART III.

Containing the duties in Testamentary Proceedings, on Probates of Wills, and Letters of Administration.

Part I.

AFFIDAVIT or Affirmation not made for the immediate purpose of being filed read or used in any Court of Justice in this Island ... 2 0

Exemptions from the preceding and all other Stamp Duties.

Affidavits or Affirmations required or authorised by Law to be made in Criminal matters; affidavits or affirmations on the assumption of any office under Government, or for the verification of any public accounts or to be made pursuant to this Ordinance.

AGREEMENT or Contract or any Minute or Memorandum of an agreement made in this Island (and not otherwise charged nor expressly exempted from all Stamp Duty) whether the same shall be only evidence of a contract or obligatory upon the parties from its being a written instrument, where the matter thereof shall be

				s.	d.
of the value of £1 and not exceeding			£5	0	3
Exceeding–5	—	,,	10	0	6
,, 10	—	,,	25	1	6
,, 25	—	,,	50	2	6
,, 50	—	,,	100	4	0

And for every additional £25 or part thereof a further progressive duty of... ... 1 0

Where the value of the agreement or of such minute or memorandum does not appear on the face thereof, such instrument shall bear a stamp of 5 0

Provided always, that where divers letters shall be offered in evidence to prove any agreement between the parties who shall have written such letters, it shall be sufficient if any one of such Letters shall be stamped with a duty of 5 0

Exemptions from the preceding and all other Stamp Duties.

Memorandum or agreement for the hire of any labourer, artificer, manufacturer, or menial servant.

Memorandum, letters or agreement for or relating to the sale of any goods, wares, or merchandise.

Memorandum, letter or agreement made with any common carrier or other person for the carriage of goods, wares, or merchandise in this Island.

Conditions of sale of any property sold by auction.

Letters containing any agreement (not before exempted) in respect of any merchandise or evidence of such an agreement which shall pass by the post between merchants or other persons carrying on trade or commerce in this Island and residing and actually being at the time of sending such letters at the distance of 20 miles from each other.

Memorandum or agreement made between the master and mariners of any vessel or boat for wages.

Agreement made in compliance with or under the provisions of the Merchant Seamen's Act, 7 & 8 Vict. ch. 112; or the Mercantile Marine Act, 13 & 14 Vict. ch. 93.

Agreement to marry not containing any settlement or transfer of property.

Memorandum or agreement made by or with her Majesty or any Government Officer in the execution of his office.

Policy of Insurance.

APPRAISEMENT, or valuation of any estate or effects moveable or immoveable; or of any interest therein; or of the annual value thereof; or of any dilapidations; or of any repairs wanted; or of the materials and labor used or to be used in any buildings; or of any artificer's work whatsoever.

	s.	d.
Where the amount of such appraisement or valuation shall not exceed £25 ...	1	3
And where it shall exceed £25 and not exceed £50	2	6
Exceed £50 and not exceed £100 ...	5	0
,, 100 — 200 ...	10	0
,, 200 — 500 ...	15	0
,, 500	20	0

Exemptions.

Appraisements or valuations of any property for the purpose of ascertaining the duty payable on Probates or Letters of Administration; or made by or at the instance of any Executor or Administrator with a view to the distribution of any estate under his charge; or made by or at the instance of any Government Officer in the execution of his office or by or for the Savings Bank or Loan Board.

ARTICLES OF CLERKSHIP or contract, whereby any person shall first become bound to serve as a Clerk in order to his admission as an Advocate, Proctor, Notary or Apothecary... ... ... £10 0 0

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ARTICLES of Clerkship or contract, whereby any person shall become bound to serve as a Clerk in order to such admission as aforesaid, for the residue of the term for which he was originally bound in consequence of the death of his former master or of the contract between them being vacated by consent, or by rule of Court or in any other event... ... ... s. d. 20 0

AWARD 20 0

Inland BILL OF EXCHANGE, draft or order for the payment to the bearer or to order, either on demand or otherwise, of any sum of money

Amounting to £2 and not exceeding £5				1 0
exceeding 5	—	,,	20	1 6
,, 20	—	,,	30	2 0
,, 30	—	,,	50	2 6
,, 50	—	,,	100	3 6
,, 100	—	,,	200	4 6
,, 200	—	,,	300	5 0
,, 300	—	,,	500	6 0
,, 500	—	,,	1000	8 6
,, 1000	—	,,	2000	12 6
,, 2000	—	,,	3000	15 0
,, 3000 ...		...	...	25 0

Inland Bill or order for the payment of any sum of money, though not made payable to the bearer or to order, if the same shall be delivered to the payee or some person on his behalf. — *The same duty as on a Bill of Exchange for the like sum payable to bearer or order.*

Inland Bill, Draft or order for the payment of any sum of money weekly, monthly, or at any other stated periods, if made payable to the bearer or to order, or if delivered to the payee, or some person on his behalf, where the total amount thereby made payable shall be specified therein or can be ascertained therefrom. — *The same duty as on Bill payable to bearer or order on demand for a sum equal to such total amount.*

And where the total amount of the money thereby made payable shall be indefinite — *The same duty as on a Bill on demand for the sum therein expressed only.*

And the following instruments shall be deemed and taken to be Inland Bills, Drafts, or Orders for the payment of money within the intent and meaning of this Schedule; viz:

All drafts or orders for the payment of any sum of money by a Bill or Promissory note, or for the delivery of any such bill or note in payment or satisfaction of any sum of money; where such drafts or orders shall require the payment or delivery to be made to the bearer, or to order, or shall be delivered to the payee or some person on his behalf.

All receipts given for money received which shall entitle, or be intended to entitle, the person or persons paying the money or the bearer of such receipts to receive the like sum from any third person or persons.

And all bills, drafts, or orders for the payment of any sum of money out of any particular fund which may or may not be available, or upon any condition or contingency which may or may not be performed or happen if the same shall be made payable to the bearer or to order, or if the same shall be delivered to the payee or some person on his behalf.

Foreign Bill of Exchange (or bill of Exchange drawn in but payable out of this Island) if drawn singly, and not in a set, for every bill of each set — *The same duty as on an inland bill of the same amount and tenor.*

Foreign bills of exchange drawn in sets according to the custom of merchants, for every bill of each set, where the sum made payable thereby shall not exceed £100 ... s. d. 1 6

And where it shall exceed £100 and not exceed

		£200	...	3 0
,,	—	200 — 500	...	4 0
,,	—	500 — 1000	...	5 0
,,	—	1000 — 2000	...	7 6
,,	—	2000 — 3000	...	10 0
,,	—	3000 ...	...	15 0

Exemptions from the preceding and all other Stamp Duties.

All instruments exempted from the payment of Stamp duties by virtue of the Ordinance No. 23 of the year 1844, entitled "An Ordinance for exempting certain written instruments employed by persons carrying on the business of Bankers from payment of Stamp duties and for enabling such persons to make composition in lieu of Stamp duties on certain promissory notes and bills of exchange."

All checks, drafts or orders for the payment of any sum of money to the bearer on demand, and drawn on any Banker, provided the place where such checks drafts or orders shall be issued shall be specified in such checks drafts or orders, and provided the same shall bear date on or before the day on which the same shall be issued, and provided the same do not direct the payment be made by bills or promissory notes.

All bills of exchange, drafts or orders drawn by the Treasurer of this Island, or any other Government Officer in the execution of his office.

BILL OF LADING of or for any goods, merchandise or effects exported or carried coastwise s. d. 0 3

BOND given as a security for the payment of any definite and certain sum of money; mortgage for any definite and certain sum of money and of or affecting any property moveable or immoveable, where the sum

		shall not exceed £5	...	0 6
Exceeding £5	and not exceeding	10	...	1 0
,, 10	— ,,	20	...	2 0
,, 20	— ,,	30	...	3 0
,, 30	— ,,	40	...	4 0
,, 40	— ,,	50	...	5 0
,, 50	— ,,	75	...	7 6
,, 75	— ,,	100	...	10 0

And for every additional £25 or part thereof a further progressive duty of ... 2 6

Bond of any kind whatever not otherwise charged in this Schedule nor expressly exempted from all Stamp duty ... 20 0

Exemptions from the preceding and all other Stamp Duties.

Bonds given by any Government Officer or his sureties, for the due execution of his Office.

Bonds given by any person to Her Majesty, or to any public Officer for the use of Her Majesty, for any debt or sum of money due, or to become due to the Crown, or to the Government of this Island.

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Bonds of indemnity given to Fiscals or their Deputies or officers in the execution of their duty.

Bonds given to any officer of Customs in his official capacity.

	s.	d.
CHARTERPARTY or any agreement or contract for the charter of any vessel or any memorandum letter or other writing between the Captain · Master or owner of any vessel, and any other person for or relating to the freight or conveyance of any money, goods or effects on board of such vessel	5	0

Exemptions.

Charterparty made by or with any Government officer in the execution of his office.

COMPOSITION, Deed or other instrument of Composition between a debtor or debtors and his or their creditors	10	0
CONVEYANCE or transfer of immoveable property Where the purchase or consideration money therein or thereupon expressed shall not exceed £5	1	0
And where the same shall exceed £5 and not exceed £10 ...	2	0
„ 10 — 20 ...	4	0
„ 20 — 30 ...	6	0
„ 30 — 40 ...	8	0
„ 40 — 50 ...	10	0
„ 50 — 75 ...	15	0
„ 75 — 100 ...	20	0
And for every additional £25 or part thereof a further progressive duty of ...	5	0

NOTE. 1.—Where property of different tenures or holdings, or held under different titles, contracted to be sold at one entire price for the whole shall be conveyed to the purchaser in separate parts or parcels, by different deeds or instruments, the purchase or consideration money shall be divided and apportioned in such manner as the parties shall think fit, so that a distinct price or consideration for each separate part or parcel may be set forth in or upon the instrument of conveyance relating thereto; which instrument shall be charged with the duty in respect of the price or consideration money therein set forth.

2.—And where property, contracted to be purchased by two or more persons jointly, or by any person for himself and others, or wholly for others, at one entire price for the whole, shall be conveyed in parts by separate deeds or instruments to the persons for whom the same shall be purchased, for distinct parts or shares of the purchase money; the instrument of conveyance, of each separate part or parcels shall be charged with the duty, in respect of the sum of money therein specified as the consideration for the same.

3.—But if separate parts or parcels of such property shall be conveyed to, or to the use of or in trust for different persons, in and by one and the same deed or instrument, then such instrument shall be charged with the duty in respect of the aggregate amount of the purchase or consideration monies therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid for the property thereby conveyed.

4.—Where any person, having contracted for the purchase of property but not having obtained a conveyance thereof, shall contract to sell to any other person and the same shall in consequence be conveyed immediately to the sub-purchaser; the instrument of conveyance shall be charged with the duty, in respect of the purchase or consideration money therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid by the sub-purchaser.

5.—And where any person having contracted for the purchase of property, but not having obtained a conveyance thereof, shall contract to sell the whole or any part or parts thereof, to any other person or persons, and the same shall, in consequence, be conveyed by the original seller to different persons in parts or parcels; the instrument of conveyance of each part or parcel thereof shall be charged with the duty in respect only of the purchase or consideration money which shall be therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid for the same, by the person or persons to whom or to whose use or in trust for whom the conveyance shall be made, without regard to the amount of the original purchase money.

6.—And in all cases of such sub-sales as aforesaid, the sub-purchasers, and the person immediately selling to them, shall be deemed and taken to be the purchasers and sellers, within the intent and meaning of the provisions and regulations of this Ordinance relating to the duties on conveyances of property hereby imposed.

7.—But where any such sub-purchasers shall take an actual conveyance of the interest of the person immediately selling to him, which shall be chargeable with the duty in respect of the purchase or consideration money paid or agreed to be paid by him, and shall be duly stamped accordingly; the instrument of conveyance to be afterwards made to him of the property in question by the original seller, shall be exempted from the duty, and be charged only with the duty on a notarial deed.

8.—And where any property, separately contracted to be purchased of different persons, at separate and distinct prices, shall be conveyed to the purchaser, or as he shall direct, in and by one and the same instrument; the instrument shall be charged with the said duty in respect of the aggregate amount of the purchase or consideration monies therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid for the same.

9.—Where any lands, or other property shall be sold and conveyed, subject to any mortgage, bond, or other debt, or to any gross or entire sum of money, to be afterwards paid by the purchaser, such sum of money or debt shall be deemed the purchase or consideration money or part of the purchase or consideration money as the case may be, in respect whereof the duty is to be paid.

10.—And where there shall be several deeds, instruments or writings, for completing the title to the property sold; such of them as are not liable to the said *ad valorem* duty, shall be charged with the duty to which the same may be liable, under any general or particular description of such deeds, instruments or writings contained in this Schedule.

11.—And when any deed or instrument, operating as a conveyance on the sale of any property, shall operate also as a conveyance of any other than the property sold by way of settlement, or for any other purpose, or shall also contain any other matter or things besides what shall be incident to the sale and conveyance of the property sold, or relate to the title thereto, such instrument shall be charged, in addition to the duty to which it shall

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be liable as a conveyance, with such further Stamp Duty, as any separate deed containing the other matter, would have been chargeable with.

CONVEYANCE or transfer of immoveable property of any kind whatsoever not charged in this Schedule, nor expressly exempted from Stamp Duty ... ... s. d. 20 0

Exemptions from the preceding Stamp Duties.

All conveyances and transfers to Her Majesty, or to any person, for, or on behalf of Her Majesty.

All Leases and Mortgages, and all transfers or assignments thereof.

CONVEYANCE or transfer of moveable property, where the purchase or consideration money therein or thereupon is expressed, the same duty as on a Bond for the like amount.

CONVEYANCE or transfer of moveable property of any kind whatsoever not charged in this Schedule, nor expressly exempted from Stamp Duty, where the value of the same does not appear on the face thereof, shall bear a stamp of 5 0

Exemptions from the preceding, and all other Stamp Duties.

Transfers of Bills of Exchange, and Promissory Notes by indorsement.

DECLARATION of any use or trust 10 0

DEEDS or instruments of confirmation, revocation, substitution, surrogation, disclaimer, and renunciation 10 0

DEED or instrument not otherwise charged in this Schedule, nor expressly exempted from Stamp Duty 10 0

LEASE of any lands, tenements, or hereditaments, for a year or longer, where the yearly rent shall not exceed £5 ... ... 2 0

And where the same shall exceed £5, and not exceed £12 ... ... 5 0

And for every additional £12 yearly, or for any part thereof, a further progressive duty of 5 0

If there be no rent in money reserved, the lease shall bear a Stamp as an agreement, the value whereof does not appear on the face of the instrument.

LETTER or Power of Attorney of any kind ... 10 0

Substitution or surrogation under any Letter of Attorney 5 0

Exemptions from the preceding Stamp Duties.

Power of Attorney made by any petty officer, seaman, or soldier, or by the executors or administrators of any such person, for pay or prize money.

LETTERS of *Venia Ætatis* ... £5 0 0

LICENSE for marriage without publication of Banns 20 0

MORTGAGE—See BOND.

NOTARIAL DEED not otherwise charged in this Schedule, nor expressly exempted from all Stamp Duty 10 0

Notarial copy of, or extract from any instrument; and copy of, or extract from any deed registered in any District Court, certified by the Secretary of such Court ... 1 0

s. d.

PARTITION—Any deed of 10 0

PROMISSORY NOTE. *The same* ad valorem *duty as on an Inland Bill of Exchange of the like amount.*

Exemptions from the duties on Promissory Notes.

All instruments bearing in any degree the form or style of Promissory Notes, but which in law shall be deemed special agreements. But such instruments shall nevertheless be liable to the duty which may attach thereon as agreements or otherwise.

PROTEST of any Bill of Exchange or Promissory Note, for any sum of money not exceeding £20 ... ... 2 0

Exceeding £20 and not exceeding 100 ... 3 0

„ 100 — „ 500 ... 5 0

„ 500 ... ... 10 0

Protest of any other kind 5 0

RECEIPT or discharge given for, or upon the payment of money amounting to

£2 and not exceeding £20 0 2

exceeding 20 — „ 50 ... 0 6

„ 50 — „ 100 ... 1 0

„ 100 — „ 200 ... 2 0

„ 200 — „ 300 ... 3 0

„ 300 — „ 400 ... 4 0

„ 400 — „ 500 ... 5 0

„ 500 — „ 1000 ... 7 6

„ 1000 ... ... 10 0

And where any sum of money whatsoever shall be therein expressed or acknowledged to be received *in full of all demands* ... 10 0

And any note, memorandum, or writing whatsoever, given to any person for, or upon the payment of money, whereby any sum of money, debt or demand, or any part of any debt or demand therein specified, and amounting to two pounds or upwards, shall be expressed or acknowledged to have been paid, settled, balanced, or otherwise discharged or satisfied, or which shall import or signify any such acknowledgment, and whether the same shall or shall not be signed with the name of any person, shall be deemed and taken to be a receipt for a sum of money, of equal amount with the sum, debt, or demand so expressed or acknowledged to have been paid, settled, balanced, or otherwise discharged or satisfied, within the intent and meaning of this Schedule, and shall be charged with a duty accordingly.

And any receipt or discharge, note, memorandum, or writing whatever, given to any person for or upon the payment of money, which shall contain, import, or signify any general acknowledgment of any debt, account, claim, or demand, debts, accounts, claims, or demands whereof the amount shall not be therein specified, having been paid, settled, balanced, or otherwise discharged or satisfied, or whereby any sum of money therein mentioned shall be acknowledged to be received in full, or in discharge, or satisfaction of any such debt, account, claim or demand, debts, accounts, claims or demands, and whether the same shall or shall not be signed with the name of any person, shall be deemed, and taken to be a receipt for the sum of £1,000 or upwards, within the intent and meaning of this Schedule, and shall be charged with the duty of ten shillings accordingly.

And all receipts, discharges, and acknowledgments of the description aforesaid, which shall be given for or upon payments made by or with any bills of exchange, drafts, promissory notes, or other securities

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for money, shall be deemed and taken to be receipts given upon the payment of money, within the intent and meaning of this Schedule.

Exemption from the preceding duties on receipts.

Receipts or discharges written upon promissory notes, bills of exchange, drafts or orders for the payment of money duly stamped according to the laws in force at the date thereof; or upon bills of exchange drawn out of, but payable in this Island.

Letters by the general post, acknowledging the safe arrival of any bills of exchange, promissory notes, or other securities for money.

Receipts or discharges endorsed, or otherwise written upon or contained in any bond, mortgage, or other security, or any conveyance, deed, or instrument whatever, duly stamped according to the laws in force at the date thereof, acknowledging the receipt of the consideration money therein expressed, or the receipt of any principal money, interest, or annuity thereby secured.

Releases or discharges for money by deeds duly stamped according to the laws in force at the date thereof.

Receipts or discharges for the return of any duties of customs upon certificates of over entry.

Receipts or discharges given by or to any Government Agent, Fiscal, or his Deputy or Officer, or other public officer in the execution of his office.

TRANSFER or Assignment of any bond, mortgage or lease	5 0
WARRANT to act as a Notary Public	£5 0 0

Exemptions.

Where any person duly admitted a Notary in any district of this Island shall be afterwards admitted a Notary in any other district the subsequent Warrant shall be free of duty.

Exemptions from the preceding and all other Stamp Duties.

All instruments exempted from the payment of Stamp Duties by virtue of the Ordinance No. 4 of 1833, No. 7 of 1833, No. 6 of 1835, and No. 23 of 1844.

All instruments to or on behalf of Her Majesty, or any Government officer in his official capacity.

All warrants of Attorney granted to the Ceylon Savings' Bank to confess judgment.

All Wills, Testaments, and Codicils, whether Notarial or otherwise.

All instruments for the sale, transfer, or other disposition, either absolutely, or by way of mortgage, or otherwise of any Ship or Vessel, or any part, share, or property of or in any Ship or Vessel.

Provided that where any instrument hereinbefore specified shall be executed or acknowledged before a Notary Public, or shall be executed before some public officer, under the authority of the Ordinance No. 17 of 1852, entitled, "*To make further provision touching the execution of certain deeds and instruments*," the Stamp Duty hereby chargeable on such instrument, shall be chargeable on the duplicate or counterpart thereof, instead of the original instrument; and in such case if the duty exceed the sum of five shillings, the original instrument shall bear a stamp of 2 0

Part II.

Containing the Duties on Law Proceedings.

IN THE SUPREME COURT.—*In Civil Proceedings.*

Every Affidavit or Affirmation.—Bill of Costs.—Bond of Security in Appeal to the Queen in Council or other Bond or Recognizance.—Certificate in Appeal to the Queen in Council.—Copy (office copy) of any decree, deposition, document, or other matter of record.—Decree or Judgment, or order having the effect of a Decree or Judgment, interlocutory or final.—Exemplification under the Seal of Court of any record or proceedings therein.—Exhibit of each unstamped document.—Injunction.—Mandate, or Writ of Mandamus Procedendo and Prohibition.—Order of transference.—Petition to the Queen in Council.—Proxy.—Rule Nisi or absolute.—Summons.—Translation of any exhibit.

				s.	*d.*
Class—1	under	£10	... ...	1	6
2	—	30	... ...	3	0
3	—	75	... ...	4	0
4	—	150	... ...	6	0
5	—	500	... ...	9	0
6	—	1000	... ...	12	0
7	—	5000	... ...	15	0
8	—	5000 and upwards	...	20	0

Exemptions.

All Affidavits or Affirmations for verifying service of Process.

All Mandates in the nature of Writs of Habeas Corpus, and all Rules relating thereto.

Provided also, that no Queen's Advocate or Deputy Queen's Advocate suing or being sued or intervening in any suit, *virtute officii*; and no person duly admitted to sue or intervene or defend, as a Pauper, shall be required to use any Stamps, in Civil Proceedings, in the Supreme Court.—But if Judgment for Costs shall be given in favour of such Advocate or Pauper, the value of such Stamps as would have been used by him if he had not been allowed to proceed without using Stamps, or the value of such part thereof as shall be mentioned in the said Judgment, shall be paid by the party against whom such Judgment shall have been given, to the Commissioner of Stamps or to the Secretary or Clerk of the Court in which the case shall have been instituted for and on behalf of such Commissioner, and in failure thereof the said Secretary or Clerk shall insert the said value in the Writ of Execution issued by the party in whose favor such Judgment shall have been given and shall pay the said value when recovered to the said Commissioner from the first amount levied under the said Writ; or if no such Writ be issued, the said Secretary or Clerk shall issue a Writ of Execution, free of Stamp Duty for the recovery of the said value to be appropriated in like manner. Provided that if the said value be inserted by the Secretary or Clerk as aforesaid in the Writ issued by the party in whose favor Judgment has been given, the first proceeds of such Writ shall be applied to the payment of the fees due to the said Advocate and to the Advocate or Proctor, if any, who has conducted the case of such Pauper; and after such appropriation, the proceeds shall next be applied to the payment of the said value of Stamps.

All Matrimonial and Testamentary Proceedings shall be charged as in the 4th Class.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURTS.—*In Civil Proceedings.*

Every Affidavit or Affirmation.—Bill of Costs.—Certificate in Appeal.—Commission to Survey.—Of reference and all other Commissions.—Commitment in Mesne Process or Execution.—Copy (Office Copy) of the Decree or Judgment.—Libel.—Answer.—Replication, or other Pleading.—List of Witnesses.—Notice of Trial or Argument.—To hear Judgment of the District Court or the Supreme Court.—Petition of Appeal.—Proxy.—Rule Nisi or Absolute.—Summons to Defendant or Defendants without reference to number.—Summons to Intervenient or Intervenients without reference to number.—Warrant of Attachment.—Writ of Execution against Person or Property.—

				s.	d.
Class—1	under	£30	... ...	2	0
2	—	75	... ...	3	0
3	—	150	... ...	5	0
4	—	500	... ...	8	0
5	—	1000	... ...	10	0
6	—	5000	... ...	12	0
7	—	5000 and upwards	...	15	0

Every Award.—Bail Bond or other Bond or recognizance.—Certificate of quiet possession.—Commission to examine witnesses.—Edictile Citation for Certificate of quiet possession.—Injunction.—Set of Interrogatories.—Sequestration.—Warrant of Arrest in Mesne Process.

Class—1	under	£30	... ...	5	0
2	—	75	... ...	8	0
3	—	150	... ...	12	0
4	—	500	... ...	18	0
5	—	1000	... ...	25	0
6	—	5000	... ...	30	0
7	—	5000 and upwards	...	40	0

Every Exhibit of each unstamped document.—Office Copy, duly certified, of all matter of record, per sheet of 120 words.—Subpœna to each witness.—Translation of each document.

Class—1	under	£30	... ...	0	9
2	—	75	... ...	1	0
3	—	150	... ...	1	6
4	—	500	... ...	2	6
5	—	1000	... ...	3	6
6	—	5000	... ...	5	0
7	—	5000 and upwards	...	7	6

No oral pleading shall be received, except the party wishing to plead orally shall furnish a blank sheet of paper on which to write the pleading and which paper shall bear a Stamp of the same value as if it were a written pleading in a case of the like class. And any party failing to furnish such paper shall be taken to be in default.

Poundage at the rate of one per centum on all monies levied in execution either by sale or by payment of the debtor to the Fiscal or his Deputy although the creditor becomes purchaser of the property sold in Execution and obtains credit for the purchase money in reduction of the writ.

No party shall be allowed to take any proceedings on or by virtue of any Decree or Judgment without first taking a Copy thereof.

Exemptions.

All Affidavits or Affirmations for verifying service of process;—all orders for the release or discharge of Civil Prisoners—All warrants of attachment for non-attendance or contempt issued by the Court at its own instance.

Provided also that no Queen's Advocate or Deputy Queen's Advocate suing or being sued or intervening in any suit *virtute officii;* And no person duly admitted to sue, defend or intervene as a pauper shall be required to use any stamps in Civil proceedings in the District Court. But if Judgment for costs shall be given in favor of such Advocate or pauper, the value of such Stamps as would have been used by him if he had not been allowed to proceed without using Stamps, or the value of such part thereof as shall be decreed by the said Judgment shall be paid by the party against whom such Judgment shall have been given, to the Commissioner of Stamps or to the Secretary for and on behalf of such Commissioner, and in failure of payment the said Secretary shall insert the said value in the Writ of Execution issued by the party in whose favor such Judgment shall have been given and shall pay the said value when recovered to the said Commissioner from the first amount levied under the said writ; or if no such writ be issued, the said Secretary shall issue a Writ of Execution free of Stamp Duty for the recovery of the said value to be appropriated in like manner—Provided that if the said value be inserted by the said Secretary as aforesaid in the writ issued by the party in whose favor Judgment has been given, the first proceeds of such writ shall be applied to the payment of the fees due to the said Advocate and to the Advocate or Proctor, if any, who has conducted the case of such pauper; and after such appropriation the proceeds shall next be applied to the payment of the said value of Stamps,

And no Summons, Subpœna, Warraut of Arrest, or in Execution, nor any other Citation or Writ whatsoever which has once been issued out of the Court and returned by the Officer to whom it was directed, shall on any pretext whatever, be re-issued, unless any such process has been returned not served or executed by reason that the party could not be found, or had left the Jurisdiction of the Court, or by reason that no property of the debtor or none sufficient to satisfy the exigency of any Writ of Execution could be found. Provided always, that in respect of any Subpœna or Subpœnas, the same may be re-issued, although served, in case the Judge shall, on good cause shewn, so order.

Provided also, that in appeals to the Supreme Court, the appellant shall deliver to the Secretary of the District Court, together with his petition of appeal, the proper Stamp for the decree or order of the Supreme Court which may be made on such appeal.

All Matrimonial and Testamentary proceedings shall be charged as in the 3d Class.

IN THE COURTS OF REQUESTS.

Every Affidavit or Affirmation.—Bail bond, or other bond of recognizance.—Commitment.—Copy of the Decree or Judgment.—Notice of interlocutory Judgment.—Petition of appeal.—Summons to defendant or defendants without reference to number.—Summons to intervenient or intervenients without reference to number.—Warrant of attachment.—Warrant of Execution.

Class—1	—	under	£2...	0	6
2	—	£2 and under	£5 ...	1	0
3	—	5 and upwards...		2	0

Every Office Copy of any matter of record.—Subpœna to each witness.—Exhibit of each unstamped document.—Translation of each document.

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Class—1	—	under £2...	0 3
2	—	£2 and under £5...	0 6
3	—	5 and upwards...	1 0

Poundage at the rate of one per centum on all monies levied in execution, either by sale, or by payment of the debtor to the Fiscal or his Deputy; although the creditor becomes purchaser of the property sold in execution, and obtains credit for the purchase money, in reduction of the amount of the Writ.

Exemptions.

All Affidavits or Affirmations, for verifying service of process; all warrants of attachment issued by the Court at its own instance.

Provided also, that no Government Officer suing or being sued, or intervening in his official capacity, shall be required to use any Stamps in any Court of Requests. And no person duly admitted to sue, defend, or intervene as a pauper, shall be required to use any Stamps in the said Court. But if Judgment for Costs shall be given in favor of such Government Officer or pauper, the value of such Stamps as would have been used by him if he had not been allowed to proceed without using Stamps, or the value of such part thereof as shall be decreed by the said judgment, shall be paid by the party against whom such Judgment shall have been given, to the Commissioner of Stamps or to the Clerk of the Court in which the case shall have been instituted for and on behalf of such Commissioner, and in failure of such payment, the said Clerk shall insert the said value in the Writ of Execution issued by the party in whose favor such Judgment shall have been given, and shall pay the said value when recovered to the said Commissioner from the first amount levied under the said Writ; or if no such Writ be issued, the said Clerk shall issue a Writ of Execution free of Stamp Duty on the recovery of the said value to be appropriated in like manner.

And no Summons, Subpœnas, Warrant of Arrest, or in Execution, nor any other Citation or Writ whatsoever, which has once been issued out of the Court and returned by the officer to whom it was directed, shall on any pretext whatever be reissued, unless any such process has been returned not served or executed by reason that the party could not be found or had left the Jurisdiction of the Court, or by reason that no property of the debtor or none sufficient to satisfy the exigency of any Writ of Execution could be found.

Provided always, that in respect of any Subpœna or Subpœnas, the same may be reissued although served, in case the Commissioner shall, on good cause shewn, so order. Provided also, that in appeals to the Supreme Court, the appellant shall furnish to the Secretary of the District Court, the proper Stamp for the decree or order of the Supreme Court which may be made on such appeal.

No party shall be allowed to take any proceedings on or by virtue of any Judgment or Decree, without first taking a copy thereof.

Part III.

Containing the Duties in Testamentary Proceedings; on Probates of Wills and Letters of Administration.

			s.	d.
Every Account Provisional or Final.—Bond			1	0
Every Copy (office copy) of any Will or Codicil, or Extract therefrom, or of any document mentioned in this part of the Schedule....			1	6
PROBATE of a Will, or Letters of Administration where the property and estate for or in respect of which such Probate or Letters of Administration shall be granted, exclusive of what the deceased shall have been possessed of, or entitled to as Trustee for any other person or persons and not beneficially, and exclusive also of the debts due by the deceased on mortgage or other Notarial Bonds, shall be				
Under the value of £5	...	...	1	0
Of the value of £5, and under the value of		£10	2	0
„ 10,	„	£20	4	0
„ 20,	„	30	6	0
„ 30,	„	40	8	0
„ 40,	„	50	10	0
„ 50,	„	75	15	0
„ 75,	„	100	20	0
And for every additional £25, or part thereof, a further progressive duty of ...		...	5	0

Provided, that the duty hereby charged on Probates and Letters of Administration shall in no case exceed £500.

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Fees.

Table of Fees to be taken by Advocates in the District Courts.

Advising action or defence according to the length or difficulty of the case	£1	1	0	TO	£3	3
Retaining Fee (where given)	1	1	0	...		
For perusing settling and signing any Pleading according to length or difficulty	0	10	6	...	2	2
For perusing settling and signing Interrogatories	0	10	6	...	3	3
Consultation Fee when necessary	1	1	0	...	3	3
For any special motion which is opposed, made in the progress of a cause	1	1	0	...	3	3
Brief Fee on trial or argument, unless when the proceedings are voluminous or unusually important or difficult	1	1	0	...	5	5
If the proceedings are very voluminous or unusually important or difficult	5	5	0	...	10	10

In the Supreme Court.

The same Fees as in the District Courts, when applicable.

Fees to be taken by the Proctors of the Supreme and District Courts.

1ST CLASS.—Under £20 where the title to land is not in question.

2D CLASS.—Above £20 and under £75 and all cases under £75 where the title to land is in question.

3D CLASS.—Above £75.

IN DISTRICT COURTS.

I. *Costs to be allowed in Taxation to Plaintiff's Proctors in all Cases which come to Trial.*

WHERE AN ADVOCATE IS EMPLOYED.

	1.		2.		3.	
	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.
Letter of Demand	1	6	2	6	3	6
Conference with Client receiving instructions to sue	3	6	7	0	10	0
Proxy to sue	1	0	1	6	2	0
Attending Advocate with instructions to draw Libel	2	6	5	0	10	0
Fair copy of Libel per folio of 120 words or for fractional part	0	3	0	6	0	9
Filing same with documents and list of Witnesses	2	6	5	0	7	6
Drawing Summonses, each	1	0	1	6	2	0
Attending Secretary to get same signed and delivering to Fiscal	1	6	2	6	3	6
Searching for returns to Summons	1	6	2	6	3	6
Searching for appearance	1	6	2	6	3	6
Setting down cause for trial	1	0	2	6	3	0
Notice thereof, drawing and serving	1	6	2	6	3	6
Brief for Advocate per folio	0	6	1	0	1	6
Attending Trial	5	0	10	0	15	0

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2. WHERE AN ADVOCATE IS NOT EMPLOYED.

	1.		2.		3.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Letter of Demand	1	6	2	6	3	6
Conference with Client receiving instructions to sue	3	6	7	0	10	0
Proxy to sue	1	0	1	6	2	0
Drawing Libel and fair copy	2	6	5	0	10	0
Filing same with Documents and list of Witnesses	2	6	5	0	7	6
Drawing Summonses each	1	0	1	6	2	0
Attending Secretary to get same signed and delivering to Fiscal	1	6	2	6	3	6
Searching for return to Summons	1	6	2	6	3	6
Searching for appearance	1	6	2	6	3	6
Setting down cause for trial (when not done by Defendant)	1	0	2	0	3	0
Drawing and serving notice thereof (when not done by Defendant)	1	6	2	6	3	6
Pleading the cause	5	0	12	0	20	0

II. *Costs to be Allowed in Taxation to Defendant's Proctor in all Cases which come to trial.*

1. WHERE AN ADVOCATE IS EMPLOYED.

Conference with Client receiving instructions to defend	3	6	7	0	10	0
Proxy to defend and entering appearance	1	6	2	0	3	0
Taking copy of Libel per folio	0	3	0	6	0	9
Attending Advocate with instructions for answer	2	6	5	0	10	0
Fair copy of answer per folio	0	3	0	6	0	9
Filing same with Documents and list of Witnesses	2	6	5	0	7	6
Making and serving copy of same per folio	0	3	0	6	0	9
Brief for Advocate per folio	0	6	1	0	1	6
Attending Trial	5	0	10	0	15	0

2. WHERE AN ADVOCATE IS NOT EMPLOYED.

Conference with Client receiving instructions to defend	3	6	7	0	10	0
Proxy to defend and enter appearance	1	6	2	0	3	0
Taking copy of Libel per folio	0	3	0	6	0	9
Drawing answer and fair copy	2	6	5	0	10	0
Filing same with Documents and list of Witnesses	2	6	5	0	7	6
Making and serving copy of same	1	3	2	0	3	0
Pleading the cause	5	0	12	0	20	0

III. *Costs to be allowed to Proctors in Taxation where necessary only.*

1. WHERE AN ADVOCATE IS EMPLOYED.

Attending Advocate with retainer when instructed so to do	1	0	1	6	2	0
Attending Advocate with instructions for Republications, Rejoinder, or other pleadings	2	6	5	0	10	0
Fair copy of same per folio	0	3	0	6	0	9
Filing same with documents, &c.	2	6	5	0	7	6
Making and serving copy of same per folio	0	3	0	6	0	9
Instructions to make or oppose any special motion	1	6	3	0	5	0
Drawing any affidavit	1	0	2	0	3	0
Serving copy of same when requisite	0	6	1	0	1	6
Drawing Subpœnas for Witnesses and attending Secretary to get same signed and delivering to Fiscal—each	0	3	0	6	0	9
Instructions to draw Interrogatories or cross Interrogatories	2	6	5	0	10	0
Fair copy of same per folio	0	3	0	6	0	9
Notice of any motion and Service	1	0	2	0	3	0
Attending Consultation	3	6	5	0	7	6
Bill of Costs and copy	1	0	2	0	3	0
Serving Notice of appointment and copy Bill on Defendant	0	6	1	0	1	6
Attending Taxing	1	6	3	0	5	0
Drawing Writ of Execution	1	0	2	0	3	0

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	1.	2.	3.
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Map or Survey of Premises when necessary (a fair allowance for the Surveyor's trouble and expenses.)			
For every necessary Letter written as vouched by the Letter Book	0 6	1 0	1 6

For all necessary Postage (the actual amount as vouched by production of the Letters.)

For any other necessary business, fees and charges to be allowed in proportion to the above items, if upon special application the same be approved by the Court.

2. WHERE AN ADVOCATE IS NOT EMPLOYED.

Drawing Replication, Rejoinder or other Pleading and fair copy	2 6	5 0	10 0
Filing same with Documents, &c.	2 6	5 0	7 6
Making and serving copy of same	1 6	2 0	3 0
Making any Motion of course	1 0	2 0	3 0
Making or opposing any special motion	2 6	5 0	7 6
Drawing any Affidavit	1 0	2 0	3 0
Serving copy of same when requisite	0 6	1 0	1 6
Drawing Subpœnas for Witnesses and attending Secretary to get same signed and delivering to Fiscal—each	0 3	0 6	0 9
Drawing Interrogatories or cross Interrogatories and fair copy	3 0	7 0	10 0
Notice of any motion and service	1 0	2 0	3 0
Bill of costs and copy	1 0	2 0	3 0
Serving Notice of appointment and copy Bill on Defendant	0 6	1 0	1 6
Attending Taxing	1 6	3 0	5 0
Drawing Writs of Execution	1 0	2 0	3 0
Map or Survey of premises when necessary (a fair allowance for the Surveyor's trouble and expenses.)			
For every necessary Letter as vouched by the Letter Book	0 6	1 0	1 6

For all necessary Postage (the actual amount as vouched by production of the Letters.)
For any other necessary business, fees and charges to be allowed in proportion to the above items, if upon special application the same be approved by the Court.

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

1. WHERE AN ADVOCATE IS EMPLOYED.

Proxy	1 0	1 6	2 0
Brief for Advocate per folio	0 6	1 0	1 6
Attending Court at hearing	7 6	15 0	20 0
Instructions for making or opposing motion	1 6	3 0	5 0

2. WHERE AN ADVOCATE IS NOT EMPLOYED.

Proxy	1 0	1 6	2 0
Pleading or arguing the cause	10 0	20 0	30 0
Making or opposing any motion	2 6	5 0	7 6
FEES *to two Advocates shall be allowed in third Class cases only in both Courts, unless where separate interests are represented.*			
In both Courts there shall be allowed for all necessary translations, per folio	0 3	0 6	0 9

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Notaries' Fees.

Under the Ordinance No. 16 of 1852.

		s.	d.
For drawing every deed of transfer of property moveable or immoveable, and every mortgage or other bond, in common form, wherein the value or consideration is expressed, including engrossing, attesting, and registering the same; where the value is under £10	——	0	2	0
„ is 10 and under £20	——	0	3	0
„ is 20 do. 50	——	0	4	0
„ is 50 do. 100	——	0	6	0
„ is 100 do. 200	——	0	8	0
„ is 200 do. 300	——	0	12	0
„ is 300 do. 400	——	0	16	0
„ is 400 do. 500	——	0	18	0
„ is 500 do. 1,000	——	1	0	0
„ is 1,000 and upwards	——	3	0	0
For drawing, engrossing, attesting, and registering every deed of transfer, mortgage, or other bond which is not in the ordinary form, but contains various covenants, recitals or conditions, whether the consideration is expressed therein or not; and all agreements, deeds of donation, leases, Powers of Attorney or other instruments, including Last Wills and other Testamentary dispositions. For every such document per folio of 120 words or less	——	0	5	0
For attesting, in duplicate, any deed not drawn by the Notary himself	—	0	3	0
For examining, at the request of any party the title of any property to be transferred or mortgaged, if there is only one deed	——	0	2	0
If there are more deeds than one, then for each additional deed	——	0	1	0
For noting each bill of exchange or promissory note, including the copying of it in the book of Registry or Protest book and Presentment —— —— ——	——	0	2	6
Protesting ditto —— ——	——	0	7	6
For every duplicate Protest—— ——	——	0	5	0
For every act of honor on acceptance or payment supra Protest	——	0	3	0
For every duplicate of such Protest ——	——	0	1	6
For copy of a bill paid in part and of receipt ——	——	0	3	0
For noting Protest of ships or vessels, including the copying of it in the book of Registry or Protest book —— ——	——	0	10	0
For drawing, engrossing, attesting and recording Protest of ships or vessels, for every folio of 120 words or less ——	——	0	5	0
For every Notarial copy or Extract of deeds where parties require same (excepting the attestation,) for every folio of 120 words	——	0	0	9
Fee for attesting same —— ——	——	0	3	0
For every duplicate deed engrossed, attested, and filed in court, half of the above charges.				
For preparing certificate of the Colonial Secretary or other officer, to any document intended to be sent abroad ——	——	0	2	6
For attendance either at the Notary's office or elsewhere, in cases of unusual difficulty or importance, for the purpose of reading and settling instruments before execution ——	——	0	3	4
All exclusive of the attendance in case any deed or instrument may not be executed at the house or office of the Notary; and also exclusive of the stamp duty.				
For attendance at any place other than the Notary's house or office, a charge of 1*s.* 6*d.* per mile, or for any distance under a mile, shall be allowed as travelling expenses.				
If the attendance is at night, double the above charges for attendance.				
When an interpreter is required, a charge not exceeding two shillings for every necessary attendance may be made.				

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Church Fees.

(From the Government Gazette of July 5, 1851.)

Whereas it is expedient to alter the rate of certain Fees chargeable for the celebration of the occasional Services of the Church, and to remove all doubt as to their appropriation.—It is hereby ordered, that no Fee be henceforth charged for any such Service, which is not included in the annexed Table, as sanctioned by the Bishop of the Diocese, and confirmed by His Excellency the Governor; and that all Fees so charged (with the exceptions specified herein) be applied solely for the benefit of that Church or Burial ground in which the rite is solemnized.

Table of Fees.	£	s.	d.
For a Marriage License	2	0	0
Solemnization of Marriage, if by License	0	10	0
—— —— by Banns	0	5	0
Publication of Banns	0	1	0
The Churching of Women	0	1	0
The Burial of Adults	0	6	0
—— Children	0	4	0
—— Infants	0	2	6
—— of Strangers, or persons buried by any other than the appointed Clergyman (extra fee) if Adults	0	2	0
—— if Children or Infants	0	1	0
Every Extract from a Register of the Church	0	2	0

All Fees to be paid over at the end of every quarter to the Trustees or Churchwardens, or if none have been appointed, to the Bishop of the Diocese, for the maintenance of the fabric or services of each Church, or of the Burial ground connected with it.

Except 1st, the fee for a Marriage License; one-fourth of which is to be paid to the Registrar or Surrogate.

——2dly, for an Extract from the Church Register, one-half of which is to be paid to the person making the extract.

In cases of extreme poverty, the officiating Clergyman is hereby invested with discretion to remit half or the whole of the amount of Fee payable for any Church service.

This Table of Fees must be placed in some conspicuous part of every Church or Vestry.

Kandy, 12th June, 1851. J. Colombo.

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Postal Arrangements, Regulations, &c.

INLAND POSTAGE.

All Letters transmitted by Post are charged by weight according to the following Scale and Rates.

On every Letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight, one rate of Postage:
On every Letter exceeding half an ounce and not exceeding one ounce in weight, two rates of Postage:
On every Letter exceeding one ounce and not exceeding two ounces in weight, four rates of Postage:
On every Letter exceeding two ounces and not exceeding three ounces in weight, six rates of Postage:
On every Letter exceeding three ounces and not exceeding four ounces in weight, eight rates of Postage:
And for every ounce in weight above the weight of four ounces there shall be charged and taken two additional rates of Postage, and every fraction of an ounce above the weight of four ounces shall be charged as one additional ounce.
And all Letters transmitted from one part of these settlements to another not exceeding a quarter of an ounce in weight shall be charged as one half a rate.

SINGLE RATES.

Under 25 miles	2*d.*	per single rate.
50 „	3*d.*	do.
100 „	6*d.*	do.
150 „	9*d.*	do.
Exceeding 150 „	12*d.*	do.

Half these rates on letters not exceeding ¼ oz. in weight.

HOURS FOR POSTING LETTERS.

IN pursuance of the 41st Clause of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1846 empowering the Governor from time to time, with the advice of the Executive Council, to make such Rules as shall appear expedient for regulating the hours for posting letters, and to fix a charge on letters posted out of such regular hours, it is hereby notified that the regular hours for posting letters shall be from 10 a. m. to half-past 5 p. m., when the Offices shall be closed to make up the Mails for despatch; and with respect to the Post Offices of Colombo, Kandy and Galle, His Excellency will appoint a Night-Clerk at each of those places, who shall receive letters and register and stamp them, on payment of the following extra charges, viz.

From 6 to 8 p. m. of 3*d.* each
From 8 to 10 p. m. „ 6*d.* „
From 4 to 5 a. m. „ 6*d.* „

which sums will be carried to the public account.

By order of the Council,
W. C. Gibson, Clerk to the Council.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. Emerson Tennent,
Col. Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 28th January 1846.

OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

IN pursuance of the 41st Clause of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1846, His Excellency the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council, is pleased to direct that the following Rules for the regulating of the mode of transmitting Official Correspondence through the Post be strictly attended to by all Public Officers, Civil or Military:

1.—All letters sent from any Civil Public Office shall bear on the cover the signature of the Head of that Office, or, in his absence, of his Chief Assistant present, and from Military Offices, the signature of the Commandants, Heads of Departments, or Officers Commanding Regiments or Detachments; and every Officer, Civil or Military, so affixing his signature, shall be answerable that such letters are strictly on Her Majesty's Service; and all letters to a Civil Public Office shall be opened only by the Head of that Office, and in his absence by his Chief Assistant present; and all Military communications must be sent unsealed under cover to the Commandants, Heads of Departments, or Officers Commanding Regiments or Detachments, and all Officers Civil

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and Military are hereby strictly enjoined to return to the Post Office any private communication found therein, with the name of the party by whom the letter or packet was sent, that the 42d Clause of the Ordinance may be carried into effect. This Rule is to be held binding on Officers at outstations, with regard to the correspondence passing between them, as well as on Officers at the Head-Quarters.

2.—The Postmaster General is hereby strictly enjoined to send to the Colonial Secretary all letters whether received for transmission from, or delivery at, the General Post Office, which he may suspect to contain private communications, that they may be opened by the Colonial Secretary, and dealt with according to the nature of their contents.

3.—The only address henceforth required on letters to be sent by the Post, will be that of the Officer for whom they are intended, and the signature of the party by whom they are sent, and the words "On Her Majesty's Service." The stamp of the Colonial Secretary's Office will no longer be necessary, nor the signature of the Assistant Military Secretary.

4.—No Official Packet, to be sent by the Post on any road where there are other means of transmission, shall exceed the weight of 16 ounces.*

5.—It is hereby explained that Official correspondence will only be held to be communications strictly on Her Majesty's Service. Letters addressed to a Public Officer on the concerns of the sender will have to be paid on being sent, and letters from a Public Officer on the concerns of the party addressed, will have to be paid on delivery; and all privileges of sending Parcels or Letters free of postage hitherto granted to private offices or persons are hereby cancelled.

By order of the Council,
W. C. GIBSON, Clerk to the Council.
By His Excellency's Command,
J. EMERSON TENNENT,
Col. Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 28th January, 1846.

* This has been since cancelled.

TRANSMISSION OF PARCELS.

IN pursuance of the 11th Clause of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1846, the Governor is pleased to direct that the following Rules for transmission of Parcels by the Post, be published for general information:

1.—Parcels are only to be forwarded by the Post on lines of Road on which there are no private Establishments by which they can be conveyed.

2.—Parcels are not to be forwarded on days when the weight of the mail would be thereby increased beyond the limit of 14lbs.; and the Postmaster General in Colombo, or any person authorised to act for him at any Outstation, is permitted to detain any Parcel till a day on which the smaller weight of the mail will allow it to be sent.

3.—No private Parcel is to exceed 5lbs. in weight, and every Parcel is to be made up in a form which can be conveniently carried by a Post Office runner.

4.—No Glass or Glass bottle or other Vessel containing liquid, or any article or thing which might by pressure or otherwise be rendered injurious to the contents of the mail, nor any vegetables, fruit or other perishable substance, is to be carried by the Post.

5.—The Post Office is not to be held answerable for Parcels containing money or jewels, or any other article of value. Persons sending the same by Post will do so at their own risk.

6.—In order that the conveyance of Parcels may not interfere with the revenue of the regular Post, all Parcels must be certified on the direction by the parties sending the same by Post to contain no letters, and every single letter found in any Parcel so certified will be liable to a charge of five shillings to be paid by the person sending the Parcel, if it be refused by the person to whom it is addressed; and the Postmaster General or any person acting in his behalf may call on any person receiving a Parcel which is suspected to contain a letter to open it in his presence.

7.—No Parcel is to be franked; all Parcels below one pound in weight shall be charged as a double letter and an additional half rate of letter-postage, according to the distance, is to be charged for each additional pound or fraction of a pound.

8.—And to avoid all misunderstanding as to the nature of a Parcel, it is hereby explained that no parcel is to contain any written Papers whatsoever, or printed Papers partly filled up in writing, excepting legal documents unaccompanied by any letter, and superscribed as such.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. EMERSON TENNENT,
Col. Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 28th January 1846.

KANDY EVENING MAIL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Letters posted before Half past 4 daily, will be forwarded to Kandy by a Messenger who will leave this Office at 5 P.M. precisely, and arrive in Kandy the following forenoon.

Letters posted after Half past 4 will be sent, as at present, by the morning Coach. Packets, parcels, & Newspapers, will not be sent by the foot messenger.

General Post Office,
Colombo, 11th November, 1851.

GEORGE LEE,
P. M. General.

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EXPRESSES.

UNDER clause 43d of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1846 the Governor and the Executive Council are pleased to direct that no charge for expresses shall be made on letters sent in mails by the Post, when the amount of the postage to be levied on such letters shall fully cover the expenses incurred in transmitting the same.

1.—When the amount of the postage levied on such letters shall not equal the expense incurred in transmitting them, an extra charge shall be levied sufficient to render the postage equal to such expense.

2.—Expresses may be sent at the instance of any private party, when considered practicable by the Postmaster General or his Deputies, at a charge of 6*d.* per mile.

By order of the Council,
W. C. Gibson, Clerk to the Council,
By His Excellency's Command,
J. Emerson Tennent, Col. Secy.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 28th January 1846.

POSTAGE TO THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE BRITISH COLONIES.

1st.—Under Instructions received from Her Majesty's Postmaster General, and in accordance with Orders issued by the local Government, Notice is hereby given, that from the First of May 1854, Letters *from Ceylon* to the United Kingdom, via Southampton or via Plymouth, will be charged at the rate of Six pence the single letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight, One shilling for a letter not exceeding an ounce in weight, Two shillings for a letter above one ounce and not exceeding two ounces, and so on increasing one shilling for every additional ounce or fraction of an ounce.

2nd.—The prepayment of letters forwarded via Southampton or Plymouth is optional.

3rd.—Letters posted in the United Kingdom *for Ceylon* up to the First of May will be subjected to the same rate of postage as is now levied.

4th.—Upon letters forwarded via Marseilles, the same rates of postage will be chargeable as upon letters sent via Southampton or via Plymouth.

5th.—In addition to the Six pence per half ounce chargeable in the *United Kingdom* upon letters sent or received *via Marseilles*, these letters will be subjected to an additional charge of *Five pence the quarter ounce*, to cover the cost of transit through France, which sum will also be collected in the United Kingdom.

6th.—Letters conveyed by private ships will be charged at the reduced rate of Sixpence the half ounce, prepayment of which, as in the case of packet letters via Southampton or via Plymouth, will be optional.

7th.—*Letters passing through the United Kingdom* will be subjected to the same rates of postage as letters posted or delivered in the United Kingdom, with the exception of letters sent through the United Kingdom to and from France, or to and from any Foreign Country the correspondence of which is sent by way of France.

8th.—A total charge of One shilling per half ounce will be made upon letters forwarded to or received from the undermentioned Colonies, if sent via Southampton or via Plymouth, viz:—

Prince Edward Island	Tobago	Dominica
Bermuda	St. Lucia	Jamaica
St. Helena	Antigua	Carriacou
The Gold Coast	Montserrat	Honduras
Trinidad	St. Christopher	Bahamas
Grenada	Nevis	Demerara and
St. Vincent	Tortola	Berbice.

The above charge of One shilling upon each letter, being Six pence the postage between Ceylon and the United Kingdom, and Six pence the postage between the United Kingdom and any of the abovementioned Colonies.

9th.—Upon letters to Canada forwarded through the United Kingdom via Southampton or via Plymouth, a total charge of One shilling and two pence (1*s.* 2*d.*) the half ounce will be made, the additional Two pence (2*d.*) being the transit rate chargeable upon letters passing through the United States.

10th.—Letters conveyed by way of the United Kingdom between Ceylon and any other British Colony not included in the foregoing list, and letters to any Foreign Country, except France, or any Foreign Country, the correspondence of which is sent by way of France, passing through the United Kingdom, will be forwarded, making a reduction of Six pence the half ounce on the charges now levied for letters sent by packet, and a reduction of Two pence for letters sent by private ship.

11th.—It must be distinctly understood that the reduction of postage applies only to

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letters sent *to, from, or through* the United Kingdom, and that any other class of letters will continue to be charged with the existing rate of postage.

12th.—Until further notice, Books, Newspapers, and Parliamentary proceedings will be charged as at present.

13th.—The above rates of postage combine both the British and Colonial charges.

OVERLAND LETTERS

NOT SUPERSCRIBED "VIA SOUTHAMPTON."

Notice is hereby given, that under instructions received from the Postmaster General in London all Overland Letters not superscribed to be sent "via Southampton" will be forwarded by way of Marseilles. In this manner they will reach England some days earlier, but will subject the party receiving them to a much higher rate of Postage.

PACKET POSTAGE.

UNDER the Ordinance No. 1 of 1851, Printed Books, Magazines, Reviews, and Pamphlets are transmitted from England to Ceylon, and *vice versâ*, at the following rates:

For each packet not exceeding ½lb. in weight . . .	0*s.* 8*d.*
For each packet exceeding ½lb. and not exceeding 1lb. . .	1 4
For each packet exceeding 1lb. and not exceeding 2lbs. . .	2 8
For each packet exceeding 2lbs. and not exceeding 3lbs. .	4 0

and so on, increasing 1*s.* 4*d.* for every additional pound, or fraction of a pound.

The following rules are to be observed in the transmission of such packets:

1st.—The rates of postage are to be the same, whether the packet be posted at Galle, or at any other place in this Island.

2nd.—The pre-payment of the rates of postage must be made in all cases.

3rd.—Each packet must contain a single volume only, (whether printed book, magazine, review, or pamphlet) the several parts thereof being sewed or bound together.

4th.—A packet may not exceed two feet in length, breadth, width, or depth.

5th.—Packets will be subject to the same restrictions as newspapers are subject to, namely, they must be sent completely open at both ends; there must be no writing on them, or on the covers of them, except the address; and they will be liable to inspection by the proper authorities, whenever it may be considered necessary.

6th.—If any of the conditions mentioned in the foregoing rules be violated, the packet will be charged as a letter, and treated as such in all respects.

7th.—The packets can be sent *Via* Southampton only.

N.B.—It is particularly to be borne in mind that this Regulation does not extend to packets passing between Ceylon and other Colonies; and printed Books sent by the Contract Packets from India or China to Ceylon, and *vice versa*, will continue to be charged as letters, until further orders.

OPTIONAL PRE-PAYMENT OF THE BRITISH PACKET POSTAGE

ON OVERLAND LETTERS, VIA SOUTHAMPTON.

1.—Instructions having been received from the Postmaster General in London that the optional payment of the British Packet Postage on Letters between Ceylon and the United Kingdom *via Southampton* should be forthwith commenced, it is hereby notified for general information, that from the 1st of December next, the several Post Offices throughout Ceylon will be prepared to receive, at the option of the sender, the British Packet Postage on Letters directed to the United Kingdom, via Southampton, and Notice is hereby given that the system was to be carried into operation in England from the 1st of the present month.

2.—The following are the British rates of Packet Postage fixed by the Lords of the Treasury, according to which all Letters received "Unpaid" from, or despatched "Paid" to the United Kingdom via Southampton, will be taxed, viz:—

	English	Colonial	Total.
When not exceeding half an ounce	5*d.*	1*d.*	6*d.*
Above half ounce and not exceeding 1 ounce . .	10*d.*	2*d.*	1*s.*
1 do. and not exceeding 2 do. . .	1*s.* 8*d.*	4*d.*	2*s.*
2 do. and not exceeding 3 do. . .	2*s.* 6*d.*	6*d.*	3*s.*

and so on, increasing one shilling for every additional ounce weight, or any fraction thereof.

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OPTIONAL PREPAYMENT ON LETTERS VIA MARSEILLES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the postage on letters *for the United Kingdom* forwarded *Via Marseilles*, can be paid in advance or not at the option of the senders.

The charges will be the same as on letters forwarded via Southampton, with the addition of a French Tranist Rate of 5*d.* the ¼*oz.*

The total charge on prepaid letters forwarded via Marseilles will be as follows, viz:—

When under ¼oz. in weight	0*l.* 0*s.*11*d*
When weighing ¼oz. and under ½oz.	0 1 4
do. ½oz. and under ¾oz.	0 2 3

and so on charging 5*d.* for every ¼oz. or fraction of a ¼oz. in addition to the usual charges on letters forwarded via Southampton.

REGISTRY OF OVERLAND LETTERS TO ENGLAND.

WITH reference to the 14th clause of the Post Office Ordinance No. 1 of 1846, Notice is hereby given, that under instructions received from Her Majesty's Postmaster General, *Letters pre-paid throughout, and sent vid Southampton, may be registered in the Letter-Bill, on payment of a fee of six pence*, and the Letter-Bill containing such registry, after being signed and dated in London, will be returned to Ceylon as an acknowledgment of the due receipt of the registered Letters.

LETTERS FOR THE NORTHERN COUNTRIES OF EUROPE, VIA TRIESTE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all Letters destined for the Northern Countries of Europe by the route "*via* Trieste," will be made up in separate packets addressed to the Austrian Post Office at Alexandria.

The Steam Postage to Alexandria must be prepaid on all letters intended for despatch by way of Trieste.

RATES OF POSTAGE ON LETTERS AND PAPERS

SENT BY THE CONTRACT STEAMERS TO INDIA AND CHINA.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of Instructions issued by Her Majesty's Postmaster General, London, in virtue of a Treasury Warrant dated the 11th day of September last, the following rates of British Packet Postage will be levied on all Letters, Newspapers and Prices-Current conveyed between any Port of Ceylon and any Port in the East Indies, China, &c. by the Contract Steamers from Point de Galle, *such rates being in addition to the usual Colonial postage*, that is to say:

On every Letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight, one shilling.
On every Letter not exceeding one ounce in weight, two shillings.
On every Letter not exceeding two ounces in weight, four shillings.

And on every additional ounce or fractional part of an ounce in weight, two shillings additional.

On every Newspaper addressed to a *foreign* port, *such as Manilla, Canton, &c.* one penny.

On every Price Current or printed Commercial list conveyed to a British port, one penny.

On the same addressed to a *foreign* port, two pence.

It will be optional with the senders to prepay, or not, the above rates so far as regards *Letters* addressed to the Island of Hong-Kong.

OPTIONAL PAYMENT OF POSTAGE ON LETTERS

SENT BY THE CONTRACT-STEAMERS TO INDIA AND CHINA.

WITH reference to the 14th Clause of the Post Office Ordinance No. 1 of 1846, Notice is hereby given, that under instructions received from Her Majesty's General Post Office in London, it will in future be optional with parties writing by the Contract Steamers from Point de Galle to the Presidencies of India or to Hong-Kong, to prepay, or not, the British Packet Postage directed to be levied under the Treasury Warrant dated the 11th day of September last; but that postage *must* always be paid in advance on letters sent to any foreign country or possession.

The British Packet rate will be levied here on letters on which it shall not have been prepaid in the Presidencies of India or in Hong-Kong.

The Colonial Ship postage, chargeable under the 15th Clause of the abovementioned Ordinance, will not in future be levied on letters sent by the Contract-Packets from Galle but only inland postage in addition to the British rate.

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RED-SEA POSTAGE ON LETTERS

WHICH DO NOT PASS THROUGH THE UNITED KINGDOM.

The following scale of Red-Sea Postage, as approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury in England was established to be in force from the 1st April 1844, in supercession of the rates laid down in the Advertisement of 8th December 1839, under instructions received from Her Majesty's Postmaster General in London.

On every Letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight, one shilling.

On every Letter exceeding half an ounce and not exceeding one ounce in weight, two shillings.

On every Letter exceeding one ounce and not exceeding two ounces in weight, four shillings.

On every Letter exceeding two ounces and not exceeding three ounces in weight, six shillings.

And on every Letter exceeding three ounces and not exceeding four ounces in weight eight shillings.

And for every ounce in weight above the weight of four ounces, there shall be charged and taken two additional rates of Postage or two shillings, and every fraction of an ounce above the weight of four ounces shall be charged as one additional ounce.

It must be clearly understood that the above scale applies to Letters of every description, except such as may be received from, or addressed to, the United Kingdom by way of Marseilles or Southampton.

BOMBAY AND CHINA MAILS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have authorized the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company to reduce, as a temporary measure, the communication between Bombay, Point de Galle and China, from twice a month to once a month.

2. The monthly mails for China, to be forwarded *direct*, will, until further notice, be made up on or about the 4th of each month.

3. A second mail for China will be made up on or about the 20th of each month to be forwarded *via Calcutta*, to be conveyed from thence by one of the Company's Steamers, which will touch at Penang and Singapore, both on the Outward and Homeward voyages.

4. Letters and Papers for the Straits and China, received after the departure of the direct mail Steamer, will be forwarded by the following one *via Calcutta*, unless otherwise specially addressed.

5. The monthly mails for Bombay will, from December next, close on or about the 26th of each month.

GENERAL POST OFFICE,
Colombo, 7th December, 1846.

THE subjoined copy of a letter from the Secretary to the General Post Office London, is published for general information.

GEORGE LEE,
P. M. General.

Circular.

"GENERAL POST OFFICE,
London, 30th September 1846.

"SIR,—Much inconvenience and delay being frequently experienced, in consequence of parties residing in the British Colonies and other parts abroad (who may have occasion to complain of undue detention of their letters, or of such letters being charged with a higher amount of postage than that to which they are liable), omitting to forward to this office, with their complaints, the covers of the letters so delayed or overcharged; the Postmaster General is pleased to request that whenever application is previously made to you on the subject, (and in all cases when you have an opportunity of recommending the proper course to be pursued,) you will point out how important it is that the covers should invariably be transmitted: as much time will then be saved in investigating the complaint, and material assistance will be afforded to this department in ascertaining where the error has occurred.

"I am, Sir, &c. &c.
W. L. MABERLEY."

To George Lee, Esq. &c. &c. &c. Ceylon.

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Customs' Duties.

IMPORT DUTIES.

		Duty. £.	s.	d.
Arms and Ammunition:				
Guns and Rifles	each	0	5	0
Pistols	the pair	0	5	0
Gunpowder	the lb.	0	0	4
Shot	the cwt.	0	1	6
Bacon, Butter, Cheese, and Hams	„	0	6	0
Beef and Pork	„	0	2	6
Beer, Ale, and Porter, and all other Malt Liquors in Wood	the gallon	0	0	3
Ditto Ditto in Bottles	„	0	0	4
Fish dried or salted, and Fins and Skins, the produce of creatures living in the sea	per cwt.	0	1	0
Flour (Wheat)	„	0	2	0
Hops	„	0	6	0
Jaggery or Palm Sugar, not equal in quality to Brown or Muscovado Sugar	„	0	1	0
Malt	per bushel	0	0	4
Metals:				
Brass Sheets	the cwt.	0	6	0
Copper Sheathing and Nails	„	0	6	0
Iron—Bar	the ton	0	7	0
Corrugated	„	0	14	0
Galvanized	„	1	10	0
Hoop	„	0	10	0
Pig	„	0	5	0
Rod	„	0	8	0
Sheet	„	0	10	0
Lead, Sheet	„	1	0	0
Spelter and Zinc	„	0	18	0
Steel	„	0	18	0
Opium	the lb.	0	1	0
Paddy	the bushel	0	0	3
Pitch, Rosin, or Tar	the barrel	0	1	0
Rice, Wheat, Gram, Pease, Beans, and other grain (except Paddy)	the bushel	0	0	7
Saltpetre	the cwt.	0	1	0
Spirits and Cordials	the gallon	0	5	0
Sugar Refined and Candy	the cwt.	0	5	0
Unrefined	„	0	2	6
Tea	the lb.	0	0	6
Tobacco:				
Manufactured	the cwt.	1	0	0
Unmanufactured	„	0	10	0
Cigars and Snuff	the lb.	0	0	8
Wine in Wood	the gallon	0	1	6
in Bottles	„	0	2	6
Goods, Wares, and Merchandize, not otherwise charged with duty or prohibited, and not comprised in the table of exemptions hereinafter set forth, for every £100 of the value thereof in this market		5	0	0

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TABLE OF EXEMPTIONS.

Books and Maps, printed .....
Bullion, Coin, Pearls, and Precious Stones .....
Coal, Coke, and Patent Fuel .....
Cocoanut Oil .....
Coffee .....
Coir yarn, Rope, Twine, and Strands .....
Copperah .....
Cotton Wool .....
Couries and other Shells .....
Fruit, not in any way preserved ...
Ground Nuts, Gingeley Seed, and Linseed .....
Horses, Mules, Asses, and all other Live Stock ...
Ice ...
Manures .....
Pepper, Black .....
Regimental Clothing, Necessaries, and Accoutrements, imported for the use of Her Majesty's Land and Sea Forces ...
Seeds intended for Agricultural and Horticultural purposes, including Plants...
Specimens illustrative of Natural History .....
Tanks (Iron) .....
Whale Oil .....

} *Free.*

Warehouse Rates.

Table of Warehouse Rates for all Goods bonded in any Queen's Warehouse.

For every—	*Per Week.*
Butt, Pipe, or Puncheon	„ 3
Half Pipe or Hogshead	„ 2
Barrel or Quarter Cask	„ 1
Cask or Keg of smaller size	„ 0½
Six dozen Case of Wine, Spirits, or other Liqueurs	„ 2
Three dozen do. do.	„ 1
One dozen do. do.	„ 0½
Crate, Cask or Case of Hardware, Earthenware or Ironmongery	„ 3
Bale of Indian Cloth	„ 3
Half Bale	„ 1½
Bale, Case, or Box measuring 60 cubic feet or upwards	„ 4
Do. do. 40 cubic feet and under 60	„ 3
Do. do. 20 cubic feet and under 40	„ 2
Do. do. 10 cubic feet and under 20	„ 1
Other small boxes or packages.	„ 0½
Bag of Rice, Sugar, or Coffee	„ 1
Ton of heavy Goods, Metals, Timber, &c.	„ 6

Other Goods not enumerated, of the like weight or bulk, to be charged in proportion to these rates.

Double these rates will be charged on all Goods landed under the provisions of the 21st clause of the Ordinance No. 18 of 1852, which may not be entered or removed within Seven days. Goods left on the Quay, half of the above rates.

Goods brought to the Custom House for Exportation, and lodged in any of the Custom House premises, if not shipped within Two days, will also be charged half of the above rates.

Twenty-five per cent. will be deducted from the Rent for all time exceeding Fifty-two weeks. A week's rent will be charged for all fractions of a week.

Goods may be lodged in the Qeeen's Warehouse for a period of Seven days free of charge, when, if not entered and removed for consumption, or bonded, they will be liable to the rates abovementioned.

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Port Dues.

Two pence per Ton for Entry Inwards and at the rate of Two pence per Ton for Clearance Outwards on all Ships and Vessels arriving at or departing from any Port of this Island. Provided always, that such Dues shall not be payable on any Vessel entering Inwards or clearing Outwards in Ballast, nor in cases when the cargoes are reported for Exportation, and ultimately the Vessel leaves the Port without breaking bulk, or taking in merchandize for the purpose of exportation.

No Vessel either at the time of entering Inwards with cargo, or at the time of clearing Outwards with cargo, shall be subject to pay more than Five pounds as Port Dues, whatever may be the Tonnage of the Vessel. Provided always, that a Vessel shall pay Port Dues only at one Port in this Island during the same voyage.

Any Vessel employed for the conveyance of goods between one Port and another in this Island only, shall be allowed to compound for Port Dues for Twelve months at the rate of One shilling per Ton of the registered tonnage; and on payment thereof, the Collector or other Principal Officer shall grant a Certificate, which shall exempt such Vessel, while so employed, from any further demand for Port Dues during the period stated in such Certificate.

Pilotage.

Rates of Pilotage payable by all Square-rigged Vessels, Sloops or Schooners, at the Ports of Colombo, Trincomalie and Galle.

	£	s.	d.
COLOMBO	0	16	0

TRINCOMALIE.	*Back Bay.* £	s.	d.	*Inner Harbour.* £	s.	d.
Vessels of 600 Tons and upwards	2	0	0	4	0	0
400 and under 600	1	10	0	3	0	0
200 and under 400	1	1	0	2	2	0
100 and under 200	0	10	6	1	1	0
under 100	0	6	0	0	15	0

GALLE:	£	s.	d.
Vessels of 600 Tons and upwards	3	0	0
400 and under 600	2	5	0
200 and under 400	1	10	0
100 and under 200	1	2	6
under 100	0	15	0

The above rates of Pilotage are charged on all Vessels going into the Inner Harbour of Trincomalie and the Harbour of Galle, whether they make a signal for a Pilot or not. In Colombo and the Back Bay of Trincomalie, the charge is only made if the Vessel make the signal, and a Pilot actually repair on board.

Boat Hire for Galle.

Charges for the Hire of Boats licensed for the conveyance of Passengers in the Harbour of Point de Galle between Shipping and the Landing place, and from one Vessel to another.

	s.	d.
For a Boat to carry 10 Passengers	5	0
Do. 8 do.	4	0
Do. 6 do.	3	0
Do. 4 do.	2	0
Do. 2 do.	1	0

Note—Canoes (manned with 3 men) come under the last denomination.

Two children under Ten years of age to be charged as one Passenger.

The Rate of Hire fixed for each Boat shall be paid in full, whether it be employed to convey Baggage or Passengers.

Each Boat (in addition to its Number) shall have the Rate of its Hire painted on its most conspicuous part with white paint upon a black ground; and the Tindal shall keep a Scale of Rates to be produced when asked for.

Boats engaged for service, or detained after 8, P. M., may charge one-half more than the usual Hire.

Boats employed by persons desirous of visiting Shipping, and wishing to return in the same conveyance, are also allowed to charge one-half more than their usual hire; and if the visit be prolonged one hour, are allowed to charge double hire, and are not bound to wait longer.

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Customs Regulations.

Regulations on Landing of Goods.

In landing the Cargoes of Vessels, the Masters or Supercargoes of which are Europeans, each separate boat-load shall be accompanied by a Note addressed to the Collector of Customs, specifying the number and description of the Packages, and the marks and numbers affixed thereon; or if in bulk, the quantity, as far as can be ascertained, of the Goods so sent by them; and if any Goods be found in any boat without a boat-note, or if being accompanied by such boat-note, the boat be found out of the proper track between the ship and the appointed place of landing, such boat, together with the Goods, may be detained; and unless the cause of deviation be explained to the satisfaction of the Collector, they shall be forfeited, as provided by the 22d clause of the Ordinance No. 18 of 1852.

Regulations respecting Goods in Transit by Mail Steamers.

All Goods in Transit by Mail Steamers, and declared to be so by the Master at the time of the ship's report, may be transshipped without Bond or Entry.

Goods arriving by Mail Steamers may be removed by land to any other Port, subject to the following regulations:—

Upon the Owner or his Agent making application to remove Goods, they will be delivered to be passed on to the intended Port under Bond, to the satisfaction of the Collector, for their due arrival at such Port: who, previous to the delivery thereof, will cause the proper Seals of Office to be affixed thereto; and if such Seals be broken, or if the Package at the Port of Discharge be found not to agree with the particulars given in the Letter of Advice from the Port of Removal, such Package, with its contents, shall be forfeited, and the Bond given for the safe delivery of the Goods will be enforced under the 41st clause of the Ordinance No. 18 of 1852.

Regulations for the Carriage of Goods Coastwise.

1.—When the Master of a Coasting Ship shall have entered his Vessel outwards, the Collector shall grant a General Sufferance for the lading of all Goods on board such Ship, and such Sufferance shall be a sufficient authority for the lading of any sort of Goods, except such (if any) as shall be expressly excepted therein: and on the back thereof the Master shall note all and every article taken on board, stating the descriptions of the Packages, and the quantities and descriptions of the Goods therein.

2.—Before any Coasting Ship shall depart from the Port of lading, the account of all Goods taken on board such Ship shall be signed by the Master, and delivered to the Collector, and if in such account there be any Foreign Goods, he shall at the same time produce a Certificate shewing that the duty has been paid; and thereupon the Collector shall make out a Clearance containing an account of the several sorts of Goods laden on such Ship, according to the account rendered by the Master, and if such account be false, the Master shall forfeit the sum of Ten Pounds.

3.—Masters of Coasting Ships may also call at out-bays at which no Officer of the Customs is stationed, and there land and take on board any Goods for which he shall have the written permission of the Collector of the Province in which such place is situated, so to do; which Permit, with an account of the Goods landed or taken on board, is to be produced to the Collector at the first Port at which they may subsequently arrive; and the Headman of the place is to be enjoined to visit such Vessels during their stay, as often as practicable, and in the event of finding any irregularity, to communicate the same to the nearest Government Agent or Collector.

4.—On the removal of Goods from one Warehousing Port to another Port, the parties at the Warehousing Port shall enter into Bond in double the amount of the Duties, that the Goods shall be delivered into the charge of the Officers at the Port of destination; and the Collector at the Warehousing Port where the Goods are Shipped shall advise the Collector (by Post) at the Port of destination, of the Shipment of the same, and unless the Goods be landed at the Port for which they are entered Outwards, or be otherwise accounted for, to the satisfaction of the Collector, the Bond will be put in force, and in the event of any deficiency occurring between the Port of lading and the Port of discharge, the duty will be charged thereon.

5.—All Goods laden, waterborne, or unladen, contrary to the aforegoing regulations, shall be forfeited, under the provisions of the 48th clause of the Ordinance No. 18 of 1852.

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General Rates of Agency,

COMMISSION, AND GODOWN RENT, AGREED UPON BY THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF CEYLON,

On the 29th April, 15th May, and 12th June 1839; *and revised on the 5th August* 1848.

	Per Cent.
1—On all sales, purchases and shipments	5
With the following exceptions.	
On Returns made with the proceeds of Goods, on which commission has been previously charged	2½
On Treasure, Bullion, and Bank Shares	1
On all property withdrawn, shipped or delivered to order	2½
2—On Guaranteeing Sales, Bills, Bonds, Contracts or other Engagements	2½
3—On Ships' Disbursements	5
4—On advertising for Freight and Passengers, on the amount of Freight or Passage money, whether the same pass through the Agents' hands or not	5
5—On effecting Insurance, or writing orders for Insurance	½
6—On settling losses, partial and general, and returns of Premium	5
7—On procuring Money on Respondentia	2½
8—On attending the delivery of Contract Goods, or receiving and delivering private commissions of Wines, Cattle and Merchandize	2½
9—On the total sum of the debit or credit side of an account at the option of the Agent, excepting items on which a commission of 5 per cent is chargeable	1
10—On effecting remittances, or on purchasing, selling, or negociating Bills of Exchange	1
11—On collecting Freight inward or outward	5
12—On Letters of credit granted	2½
13—On the management of Estates, as Executors, Administrators or Attorneys	5
14—On Debts when a process at law or arbitration is necessary	2½
And if recovered by such means	5
15—On all other debts collected or secured	5
16—On executing transfer of immoveable property	1
17—On Landing, clearing and delivering Specie from Steamers or other vessels, when above £1,000	¼
——— if under £1000	½
18—On Sales or purchases of Ships, Houses, or Lands	2½

Rates of Godown Rent per Month.	*s.*	*d.*
Coffee, Rice, Sugar and Saltpetre, per bag	0	3
Cinnamon, per bale	1	0
Piece Goods, per bale or case	1	0
Cotton screwed per bale	0	6
do. Raw per do.	1	0
Coir Rope or Junk, per cwt.	0	1
Wine, Spirits, Beer, Oil, &c. per Leaguer or Pipe	2	0
Wine, in Six Dozen chests	0	6
Rough Goods, such as earthenware in crates, per 50 cubic feet	2	0

All other Articles in proportion to the above.

J. SWAN,
Hon. Secy.

H. RITCHIE,
Chairman.

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Shipping and Landing Charges

OF THE CARGO BOAT AND WHARF IMPROVEMENT COMPANY.

	s.	d.
120 Bags of Coffee, of 1½ cwt. (and in proportion for larger)	12	6
18 Casks of Coffee, of 6 cwt. each	12	6
60 Bales of Cinnamon, of 100 lbs. each	12	6
30 Hogsheads of Oil	12	6
40 Pipes of Oil	12	6
120 Boxes of Plumbago	12	6

Rope, Yarn, Horns, &c. in proportion.
Ballast, 13*s.* 6*d.* per load of about 7 Tons.

Goods landed and warehoused at the rates fixed by the Chamber of Commerce.

Butts and Pipes of Wine or Beer	each	1	0
Bales, Hogsheads and Cases, above the size of 3 doz. Wine	,,	0	9
Half Bales, Barrels and Cases above one doz., but not more than 3 doz.	,,	0	6
Kegs, 1 doz. cases, or packages of like size or less	,,	0	3
Packages of 1 Ton, and not exceeding 1½ Ton by weight or measurement	,,	3	0
Do. under 1 Ton by weight or measurement	,,	0	9
Metals per Ton	,,	3	0
Hogshead Staves in Packs, per 100 Bundles	,,	18	0
Puncheon, do. in do.	,,	22	6
Rice or Sugar, per 100 Bags or Robbins	,,	15	0
Wheat, per 100 Bags	,,	18	0

Machinery, by special Agreement.
Double the above rates, where the packages imported are less than 6 in number.
Specie will be landed by agreement with the Manager.
Special Agreements can be made with the Manager, for landing of Coal, Grain and Timber Cargoes.

Carriage Hire.

Rates and Fares which the Proprietors of Carriages Licensed under the provisions of the Ordinances No. 7 of 1848, *and No.* 1 *of* 1853, *shall be entitled to demand and take for the hire of such Carriages.*

WITHIN THE TOWN, FORT OR GRAVETS OF **Colombo.**

For a Carriage drawn by one Horse, calculated for time.

	s.	d.
From 6 A. M. to 6 P. M.	6	0
For one hour or under	1	6
For each additional half hour up to two hours	0	6
For every additional hour entered upon	0	4½

The above rates to be increased one fourth, if the Carriage be hired between the hours of 6 P. M. and 6 A. M.

For a Carriage drawn by a pair of Horses.

	s.	d.
From 6 A. M. to 6 P. M.	7	6
For one hour or under	2	0
For each additional half hour up to two hours	0	9
For every additional half hour entered upon	0	6

The above rates to be increased one third, if the Carriage be hired between the hours of 6 P. M. and 6 A. M.

For a Carriage drawn by one Horse, calculated for distance.

	s.	d.
For any distance within, and not exceeding one mile	1	6
For every additional mile, or fraction of a mile	0	6

Half the above rates per mile for returning

N. B.—If the Carriage be drawn by two horses, the above rates to be increased one-third.—Where there is no special agreement, the rates to be charged either for time or distance, at the option of the proprietor.

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WITHIN THE TOWN, FORT OR GRAVETS OF **Galle.**

For a Carriage drawn by one Horse, calculated for time.

From 6 A. M. to 6 P. M.	6	0
For one hour and under	1	6
For every additional hour entered upon	0	6

The above rates to be increased one fourth, if the Carriage be hired between the hours of 6 P. M. and 6 A. M.

For a Carriage drawn by one Horse, calculated for distance.

For any distance within and not exceeding one mile	2	0
For every additional mile or fraction of a mile, both going and returning	0	6

No Charge to be made, if the Carriage return empty.

N. B.—If the Carriage be drawn by two horses, the above rates to be increased one-third.—Where there is no special agreement, the rates to be charged either for time or distance, at the option of the proprietor.

WITHIN THE TOWN, FORT AND GRAVETS OF **Trincomalie.**

For a Carriage drawn by one Horse.

Between 6 A. M. & 6 P. M.

For one hour and under	2	0
For more than one hour and less than three hours	3	0
For more than three hours and less than twelve hours	4	0

Between 6 P. M. & midnight.

For one hour or under	2	6
For more than one hour	4	0
From 6 P. M. to 6 A. M.	5	0
From 6 A. M. to 12 at night	6	0

N. B.—If the Carriage be drawn by two horses, the above rates to be increased one-third.

WITHIN THE TOWN AND GRAVETS OF **Kandy.**

For a Carriage drawn by one Horse calculated for time.

From 6 A. M. to 6 P. M.	8	0
For one hour or under	2	0
For each additional half hour up to two hours	0	9
For every additional hour entered upon	0	6

The above rates to be increased one-fourth if the Carriage be hired between the hours of 6 P. M. and 6 A. M.

For a Carriage drawn by a pair of Horses.

From 6 A. M. to 6 P. M.	10	0
For one hour or under	2	6
For each additional half hour up to two hours	1	0
For every additional half hour entered upon	0	9

The above rates to be increased one-third if the Carriage be hired between the hours of 6 P. M. and 6 A. M.

For a Carriage drawn by one Horse calculated for distance.

For any distance within and not exceeding one mile	2	0
For every additional mile or fraction of a mile	0	9

Half the above rates per mile for returning.

N.B.—If the Carriage be drawn by two horses the above rates to be increased one-third.—Where there is no special agreement, the rates to be charged either for time or distance at the option of the proprietor.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has directed the following Extract from Her Majesty's Instructions to be published for general information.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 23d April, 1851.

C. J. MACCARTHY.
Col. Secretary.

Fortieth.—And whereas We have by Our said Commisson appointing you Our Governor and Commander in Chief as aforesaid, given to you full power and authority in Our name and on Our behalf, but subject nevertheless to such provisions as are in that respect contained in your General Instructions, to make and execute in Our Name and under the Public Seal of Our said Island, Grants of Waste Land to Us belonging within the same to private persons, and for the Public uses of Our subjects there resident. Now We do hereby require and authorize you from time to time as occasion may require, to cause all necessary Surveys to be made of the vacant or Waste Lands to Us belonging in Our said Island, and to cause the persons making such Surveys to report to you what particular Lands it may be proper to reserve for Public Roads or other internal communications by Land or Water, or as the Sites of Towns, Villages, Churches, School Houses or Parsonage Houses, or as places for the burial of the dead, or as places for the future extension of any existing Towns, or Villages, or as places fit to be set apart for the recreation or amusement of the Inhabitants of any Town or Village, or for promoting the Health of such Inhabitants, or as the Sites of Quays or Landing Places or Towing Paths, which it may at any future time be expedient to erect, form, or establish on the Sea Coast or in the neighbourhood of Navigable Streams, or as places which it may be desirable to reserve for any other purpose of Public convenience, utility, health or enjoyment, and You are specially to require persons making such Surveys to specify in their Reports, and to distinguish in the Charts or Maps to be thereunto annexed, such Tracts, Pieces or Parcels of Land within Our said Island as may appear to them best adapted to answer and promote the several purposes before mentioned. And it is Our Will, and We do strictly enjoin and require you that you do not under any pretence whatsoever grant, convey, or demise to any person or persons any of the Lands which may be specified as fit to be reserved as aforesaid, nor permit or suffer any such Lands to be occupied by any private persons for any private purpose.

Forty-first.—And We do further charge and require you not to make any Grant of Land to, or in trust for, or for the use of any private person unless in consideration of payment in money for the same after such Land shall have been previously put up for sale by Public Auction at such an upset price per acre as shall from time to time by Our authority be fixed for the same, and for this purpose you shall cause such Lands as from time to time shall remain unoccupied and ungranted to be put up for sale by Public Auction from time to time as you shall judge proper, and the highest bidding which shall at such Public Auction be made for any such Lands shall be accepted, provided that such bidding shall at least amount to such upset price per acre as aforesaid. Provided nevertheless, that no such bidding shall be finally accepted until the person or persons making the same shall have actually paid a Deposit of Ten per cent on the amount thereof, and shall have signed a Contract for the payment of the balance within one calendar month next thereafter. Provided nevertheless, and We do hereby declare, ordain, and appoint, that it shall be competent to you, on Our behalf and authority, in the execution of any direction which you may receive from Us through one of Our Principal Secretaries of State, to grant Land or Lands either in exchange for other Lands or in satisfaction of any equitable claim to Land. And it is Our Pleasure that all Grants of Land to be made by you in Our name to any person or persons in consideration of the payment of money for the same shall be made to such person or persons, and to his, her or their Heirs and Assigns, to be by him, her or them held in fee and common soccage, yielding and paying to us, Our Heirs and Successors, a Quit Rent of one Pepper Corn by the year for the same, and every such Grant shall pass in Our name under the Public Seal of Our said Island of Ceylon, and shall be executed and delivered to the purchaser or purchasers, in such manner as has been customary, or as you shall judge fitting on the payment of the purchase money for the same, and not before; and then and not before the purchaser or purchasers shall be let in possession of the Land so bought by them; and for the delivery of every such Grant, and the preparing the same, the said purchaser or purchasers shall pay into the Colonial Treasury a fee amounting to forty shillings sterling money and no more, or of such smaller amount as you from time to time with the advice of the Executive Coun-

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cil of Our said Island, shall appoint, and every such Grant shall previously to its being so delivered be enrolled in the Court of the District where such Land may be situate, and for making every such Enrolment the Registrar of such Court shall be entitled to receive from such Grantee or Grantees a fee of five shillings Sterling money and no more.

MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

His Excellency the Governor is pleased to direct that the Government advertisement of the 13th April 1839, the Notice of the 29th May 1841, the Minute of 3d August 1841, and the Minute of the 29th June 1844, be cancelled, and that in lieu thereof the following Rules be observed in respect to the Survey and Sale of Crown Lands.

1.—All Crown Land will be sold by Auction, and no Waste Land will be exposed for Sale at a price below Twenty Shillings per acre.

2.—The Government Agents, in conjunction with the Principal Officer in charge of the Survey Department, will make arrangements for bringing forward for Sale, from time to time, such portions of Waste Land as they may consider expedient.

3.—The preceding Rules shall not be held to preclude parties desirous of purchasing any particular tracts of Land, from applying to the Government Agent for the Sale of them accordingly. But the Government Agent will exercise his own discretion in respect to complying with any such application,—and the applicant will not be at liberty to enter upon the Land for any purpose without his permission. It will also be distinctly understood, that the making such application will give the applicant no claim whatever to the Land, if put up to Sale, in preference to any other person.

4.—The boundaries of all Crown Lands will be cleared by Officers employed by the Principal Officers in charge of the Survey Department—and the expenses attending the same will be recovered as hereafter mentioned.

5.—The following Fees will be recovered by Government for Surveys executed under the directions of the Principal Officer in charge of the Survey Department.

FEES FOR SURVEY.

Acres.	*Fees for Surveying.*	*Fees for Preparation of Plans, &c.*
1	£0 5 0	£0 6 10½
2	0 8 5	0 8 2
3	0 11 4¾	0 9 3¼
4	0 14 1¾	0 10 3¾
5	0 16 8½	0 11 3¼
10	1 8 1½	0 15 6½
15	1 18 1¼	0 19 3¼
20	2 17 3½	1 2 8½
50	4 14 0¼	2 0 3
100	7 18 1½	3 4 3½
150	10 14 3¾	4 5 4½
200	13 5 11	5 4 8½
300	18 0 5	7 0 2
400	22 7 2½	8 12 8½
640	31 16 2½	12 3 7

In cases where one or more contiguous lots are surveyed, the purchaser will be required to pay the *Fees for Surveying* in proportion only to the extent of boundary actually measured, but the *Fees for Preparation of Plans, &c.* will be payable in full.

6.—For Surveys of Roads, Rivers, Canals, &c. and appraisements, special terms will be made.

7.—Parties making application for the sale of any Land under the 3d Rule hereof, will be required to make a deposit, to the satisfaction of the Government Agent, of the probable cost of boundary clearing and the Fees for Survey.

8.—The Surveys, when completed, will be lodged in the Office of the Principal Officer in charge of the Survey Department, where they will be marked off in a general Map which with a Register will be kept for public inspection—and Registers will also be kept for the same purpose at the Offices of the Government Agents of the Lands for Sale in their respective Provinces.

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9.—The Sales will be held, when practicable, at the Government Agent's Office, once a month, after public notice by Proclamation in the Government Gazette —and care will be taken to prevent the days of Sale in the several Provinces from interfering with each other.

10.—On the day of Sale the Government Agent will specify, in three separate items, the upset price of the Lands, the expense of clearing the boundaries, and the Fees for Survey recoverable under this Minute—and will stipulate that the two latter must be paid in full by the purchaser on the day of Sale, together with 10 per cent on the amount actually bid for the Land.

11.—The balance of the purchase money must be paid within one month from the day of Sale, and in default of such payment the sale will be considered void, the 10 per cent will be forfeited, and the Government will be at liberty to re-sell the Land.

12.—The Colonial Secretary will be entitled to the following Fees for the preparation of the Title Deeds.*

On all grants of Land sold for a sum not exceeding £5.—one shilling.

On all grants of Land sold for more than £5.—four per cent.

But he is in no case to receive more than forty shillings for any one grant.

And the Secretary of the District Court of the District in which the Land granted shall be situate, will be entitled to a fee of five shillings for enrolling the grant.

13.—On the receipt of the purchase money in full and of the Fees allowed by the preceding Rule, the Government Agent will apply to the Colonial Secretary for a grant in Duplicate, One Copy shall be delivered to the purchaser, who shall forthwith be put in possession of the Land, and the other enrolled in the District Court.

14.—The Crown reserves to itself the right of making and constructing such Roads and Bridges as may be necessary for public purposes in all Lands purchased as above and also to such indigenous timber, stone and other materials, the produce of the Land as may be required for making and keeping the said Roads and Bridges in repair, and for any other public works. The Crown further reserves to itself all mines of precious metals.

By His Excellency's Command.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 22d November 1845.

P. E. WODEHOUSE,
Act. Col. Secy.

MINUTE
BY THE GOVERNOR.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR is pleased to direct that the following rules for the payment and adjustment of Costs attending the Survey of Lands intended to be brought to sale, be substituted for those laid down in the Minute of the 7th October 1844.

The Treasurer will, on his application, furnish the Principal Officer in charge of the Survey Department, with the necessary funds to meet the expenses of Survey; and he will debit these sums as advances, for the settlement of which the Principal Officer in charge of the Survey Department will be responsible.

The recovery of these sums from the purchasers of Land will be made by the Government Agents and remitted to the Principal Officer in charge of the Survey Department, and by him forwarded to the Treasurer in liquidation of the advances outstanding.

If any Land is not sold within one year from the date of its being advertised for sale, the expense of Survey on account of such Land is to be brought to account as a charge by the Principal Officer in charge of the Survey Department —in order to which it will be necessary in all cases, that proper Vouchers should be obtained for every payment as incurred.

Should any such Land be afterwards sold, the costs of Survey recovered are to be paid by the Principal Officer in charge of the Survey Department to the Treasurer, to be accounted for as an Incidental Receipt.

The Principal Officer in charge of the Survey Department will transmit to this Office quarterly a Return of all unsold Lands, the expenses of surveying which shall have been charged as an expenditure—making a note of such as may have been subsequently sold.

* See Minute of 2d July 1847.

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He will also furnish the Auditor General with a quarterly Account of all payments made by him out of the Advances received from the Treasurer, and of the recoveries on account—accompanied by a separate Account of the payments finally brought to account, and of the recoveries since made.

These rules are not, however, to apply to the advances already made to Government Agents by the Treasurer, which they will settle in terms of the Minute of the 7th October 1844—returning to him any balance that may be now in their hands.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo. 24th November 1845.

P. E. WODEHOUSE,
Actg. Col. Secy.

MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR is pleased, with the advice of the Executive Council, to direct, that the following Rules relating to the payment of Fees for the preparation of Title Deeds shall be substituted for those laid down in the Minute of the 22d November 1845.

The following Fees for the preparation of Title Deeds must be paid into the Colonial Treasury.

On all grants of Land sold for a sum not exceeding £5.—one shilling.

On all grants of Land sold for more than £5.—four per cent.

But in no case is such Fee to exceed forty shillings for any one grant.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Colombo, 2d July 1847.

J. EMERSON TENNENT,
Col. Secretary.

MINUTE

BY THE GOVERNOR.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR having recently had under his consideration various questions arising out of the 7th Clause of the Minute of the 22d November 1845, relative to the Deposits required to be made for boundary clearing by parties making special application for a sale of Land, is pleased to direct that that Clause be cancelled, and that in future all such applicants shall be required to make a Deposit, in proportion to the extent of Land applied for according to the following Table, which deposit will include the probable cost of Boundary clearing, Fees for Survey and Preparation of Plans. Should the expenses incurred be less than the deposit, the balance will be returned to the applicant.

TABLE

Acres.	£.	s.	d.	Acres.	£.	s.	d.
10	7	3	8	175	37	14	0¼
15	8	19	10¼	200	40	17	10
20	10	11	5	225	44	19	8¼
30	13	6	3¾	250	46	17	2½
40	15	14	4	275	49	13	6¾
50	17	17	0¼	300	52	8	3½
60	19	18	0½	350	57	12	10
70	21	15	11¼	400	62	12	4
80	23	11	7½	450	67	7	6
90	25	5	10¼	500	71	19	0
100	26	18	7½	550	76	7	4½
125	30	15	6½	600	80	12	11¼
150	34	6	11¾	640	83	19	9½

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Colombo, 16th March 1848.

G. C. TALBOT,
Act. Asst. Col. Secy.

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MINUTE
BY THE GOVERNOR.

MUCH inconvenience having been experienced from there not being a fixed charge for the preparation for sale of Crown Land, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to give notice, with reference to the Minutes of the 22d November 1845 and 16th March 1848, that in future a charge of One Shilling per acre will be made for the cutting of the boundary of every allotment exceeding 50 acres, in addition to the fees for Survey and for preparation of Plans, &c.

As the expense of the operation for allotments below 50 acres in extent, varies considerably, the present system of requiring the payment of the actual cost incurred will be adhered to in such cases.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. J. MACCARTHY,
Act. Col. Secy.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 18th April 1850.

MINUTE
BY THE GOVERNOR.

THE charge of One Shilling per acre fixed by the Minute of the 18th April, 1850, for the cutting of the boundary of every allotment of Land exceeding 50 acres, in addition to the Fees for Survey and for preparation of Plans, &c., having been found to be insufficient as regards the Central Province: His Excellency the Governor is pleased to authorize the charge being raised to Two Shillings per acre in future for boundary cutting in that Province.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. J. MACCARTHY,
Col. Secy.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 2d December, 1853.

NOTICE.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR having received from His Grace the SECRETARY OF STATE the following amended Regulations relative to the privileges in the acquisition of Lands allowed to Military and Naval Officers purposing to settle in certain of the British Colonies, has directed the same to be published for general information.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. J. MACCARTHY,
Col. Secy.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 25th August, 1853.

Information for the use of Military and Naval Officers proposing to settle in certain of the British Colonies.

1. Privileges in the acquisition of Land are at present allowed to Military and Naval Officers in the Colonies of New South Wales, Victoria, Van Deimen's Land, South Australia, Western Australia, New Zealand, Ceylon, and the Cape of Good Hope. As, however, the controul of the Waste Lands of the Crown in New Zealand is vested in the Legislature of that Colony, it must be distinctly understood that Her Majesty's Government cannot guarantee the continuance of the following Regulations, but that they will be liable to be altered or discontinued by the local Legislature; and the same caution will be applicable to any other of the Colonies named, in which the same controul may hereafter be transferred to the local Legislature.

The same privileges are extended to Officers of the East India Company's Service in Van Deimen's Land.

2. In the abovenamed Colonies, land is disposed of by sale only; but Officers purchasing land, are allowed a remission of the purchase money, according to the undermentioned scale.

Field Officers, of 25 years' service and upwards, in the whole	£600
Field Officers, of 20 years' service and upwards, in the whole	500
Field Officers, of 15 or less years' service, in the whole	400
Captains, of 20 years' service and upwards, in the whole	400
Captains, of 15 years' service or less, in the whole	300
Subalterns, of 20 years' service and upwards, in the whole	300
Subalterns, of 7 years' service and upwards, in the whole	200

Subalterns, under 7 years' standing, are not entitled to any remission in the purchase of Land.

Regimental Staff Officers, and Medical Officers of the Army and Navy, are allowed the benefit of this Rule.—But Military Chaplains, Commissariat Officers, and Officers of any of the Civil Departments of the Army; Pursers, Chaplains, Midshipmen, Warrant Officers of every description, and Officers of any of the Civil Departments of the Navy, are not allowed any privileges in respect of land. Although members of these classes may have been admitted formerly, and under different circumstances, they are now excluded. Mates in the Royal Navy rank with Ensigns in the Army

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and Mates of three years' standing, with Lieutenants in the Army, and are entitled respectively to corresponding privileges in the acquisition of lands.

3. In order to take advantage of this privilege, Officers of the Army and Navy on full or half pay, should provide themselves with a Certificate from the Office of the General Commanding-in-Chief, or of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, or of the Master General of the Ordnance, shewing that their settlement in a British Colony has been sanctioned, and stating their rank and length of service. No document from the Office of the Secretary of State is necessary.

4. This Certificate will not on any account be issued more than once to the same Officer, or to any Officer on half pay who shall for two years immediately preceding the date of this Notice have resided in the Colony in which he seeks to make it available.

5. Gentlemen who have ceased to belong to Her Majesty's Service will not be allowed advantages in the acquisition of Land. This rule, however, is not to affect Officers who, having obtained permission to settle in a British Colony, have quitted the service for the purpose of doing so. But, in such cases, it will be necessary that their Certificate of service and permission should bear the date of their retirement from the service, and that, within one year from that date, but not otherwise, it should be presented to the Governor of one of the abovenamed Colonies, which will be sufficient warrant for allowing the bearer the advantages to which his rank and length of service may entitle him according to the above scale.

6. The object of the Regulations being to encourage the permanent settlement in the abovenamed Colonies of Military and Naval Officers, and it being necessary to prevent those who have no intention of settling there from taking advantage of the privilege, Officers will not, for the space of two years from the making out of their Certificates, receive a Crown Grant for any Land purchased by such Certificates, but will, in the mean time, receive a "Location Ticket." At the expiration of two years, the Officer, on shewing to the satisfaction of the Governor that he is *bona fide* a resident Settler in the Colony, and has so resided continuously since receiving his "Location Ticket," will be entitled to a Crown Grant in exchange for it. If, however, application should not be made for the exchange of the "Location Ticket" within 12 months from the expiration of the two years for which it is granted, it will be considered to have lapsed, and the Land will be opened to sale or grant. In case of the Officers dying while holding a "Location Ticket," the Land to which it refers will be transferred to his legal representative.

In case of such death occurring before the "Location Ticket" is obtained, the Governor of the Colony is authorized to make the Certificate available in favour of the Child or other nearest representative of the deceased Officer, as he may find advisable.

7. For the convenience of Officers, the following heads are subjoined of the Rules for the sale of Land in the Australian Settlements:—

All Lands are disposed of by sale alone, and must have been once at least exposed to public auction.

The lowest upset price is not less than £1 per acre; but the Government has power to raise the same by Proclamation, though not again to reduce it.

The Lands are distinguished into three different classes; viz., Town Lots, Suburban Lots, and Country Lots.

Upon Town and Suburban Lots, as well as upon a proportion not exceeding one-tenth of the whole of the Country Lots offered for sale at any auction, the Governor has the power of naming a higher than the general or lowest upset price: these last to be designated "Special Country Lots."

Town and Suburban Lots are in no case disposed of except by public auction; but Country Lots, which have already been put up to public auction, and not sold, may be disposed of afterwards by private contract at the upset price.

No Lands are sold by private contract, except for ready money. When sold by public auction, one tenth at least of the whole purchase-money must be put down, and the remainder within one calendar month, or the deposit is forfeited.

Lands are put up for sale in Lots not exceeding one square mile in extent.

8. In Ceylon, Land is sold by auction at an upset price, which is to be fixed by the Governor, but which is not to be less than £1 per acre. Before the Lands are exposed for sale, they will be surveyed by the Government, and duly advertised.

9. At the Cape of Good Hope the upset price is 2*s.* per acre in the old Colony, and 4*s.* per acre in the District of Natal.

10. The several prices above-mentioned are of course subject to a revision at any time by the proper authorities, and the pecuniary amount of the Remission made to Officers cannot be increased on account of an increased value set upon the Lands.

July, 1853.

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Rates of Passage Money, including Stewards' Fees, Table, Wines, &c., for First-class Passengers. Bedding, Linen, and all requisite Cabin Furniture are provided in the Steamers at the Company's expense, together with the attendance of experienced male and female servants.

The expense of Transit through Egypt is also included in the Rates of Passage Money to India and China, with the exception of Hotel expenses, and also of Extra Baggage, Wines, Spirits, Beer, and Soda Water, all of which the Egyptian Transit Administration charge for separately.

Agent at Galle, CAPTAIN TWYNAM.

FROM CEYLON TO	MADRS	CALCUTTA	PNANG	SINGAPORE	HONG KONG	BATAVIA.	BOMBAY
Gentlemen or Ladies travelling singly.							
For a General Berth	£12	£26	£24	£32	£54	4 0	£19
Children with their Parents.—Under 3 years	*Free.*						
3 years and under 10	£6	13	12	16	27	20	9 10
Servants, European	6	13	12	16	27	18	9 10
Native	3	7	6	8	14	9	4 14
Second Class Passengers	8	17	16	21	36	23	12 12
Native First do. victualling themselves	9	20	18	24	41	26	14 4
Natives on Deck	4	9	8	11	18	13	6 6

FROM CEYLON TO	K. G. SOUND	ADELAIDE	PORT PHILIP	SYDNY	ADEN	SUEZ	SOUTHAMPTN
Gentlemen or Ladies travelling singly.							
For a General Berth	£70	£70	£70	£70	£35	75	£105
„ one Berth Cabin	...	...	...	...	45	85	125
„ half a reserved Cabin	...	...	...	...	50	95	130
„ whole do.	...	...	...	...	65	140	170
Married Couples, Reserved Cabin	...	...	...	...	100	190	260
Children with their Parents.—Under 3 years	*Free.*						
3 years and under 10	37	38	40	40	15	35	60
Servants—European	...	...	...	...	18	35	50
Native	...	...	...	...	10	15	30
Second Class Passengers	...	...	...	...	25		
Natives on Deck	...	...	...	...	15		

From Ceylon to Alexandria 85*l.*; Do. to Malta, 95*l.*; Do. to Marseilles, 100*l.*; Do. to Gibraltar, 100*l.*

The intermediate rates of Passage money between India, China and Australia and *vice versa*, for Reserved Cabins, will be regulated by the Company's Agents, according to the class of accommodation required.

The rates for reserved accommodation from Gibraltar and Marseilles to India, China and Australia, and *vice versa*, are 5*l.* less for each First Class Passenger than the Southampton rates, and from Malta to India, &c., &c., and *vice versa*, 10*l.* less for each First Class Passenger.

N. B.—The rates fixed for Native servants from Suez and intermediate Ports to India and China, and *vice versa*, will include the passage back, should the First Class Passenger wish his servant to return to the Port of Embarkation. Two-thirds of these rates to be charged for the single passage only.

The Company do not undertake to convey Second Class Passengers in their Vessels from Southampton and Suez to India, &c., except under special circumstances. All Second Class Passengers by the Company's Steamers will have to Berth and Mess with the servants of the ship and those of First Class Passengers.

INDIA AND CHINA. *Intermediate Passages. Fares*—Reduced rates for Return Passages within four months.—An allowance of one-fourth of the ordinary rate of passage money may be made to Passengers making the Return Voyage within Four months from the day of landing, on satisfactory proof being given as to the identity of the Passenger, and of having paid the full rates one way.

AUSTRALIAN LINE. Second Class and Passengers' servants.—From Southampton and Indian Ports, one-half of First Class rates: from China and other Ports, two-thirds do.

RETURN TICKETS. Available for two years, including the passage each way, are granted for 120*l.* from Ceylon to Australia. [BAGGAGE—See under head Freight.

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Freight.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S PARCEL TARIFF FROM INDIA, CHINA, AND AUSTRALIA.

Parcels under one-quarter of a cubic foot measurement will be taken from 2*s.* 6*d.* each, unless containing valuable articles; at and above that measurement, at the following graduated scale, including all charges to the Port of Delivery.

	s.	*d.*		*s.*	*d.*
¼ foot	9	0	½ foot and 2 inches	14	0
¼ foot and 1 inch	10	0	¾ foot	15	0
¼ foot and 2 inches	11	0	¾ foot and 1 inch	16	0
½ foot	12	0	¾ foot and 2 inches	17	0
½ foot and one inch	13	0	1 foot	18	0

and for every additional inch measurement, 1*s.* 6*d.* will be charged by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steamer, and 5*s.* when forwarded by East India Company's Steamer.

If the package weighs more than 20lbs. to the cubic foot, the additional weight will be charged for.

Parcels should be delivered two days before each Steamer's departure.

No package should exceed 80lbs. in weight. Periodicals charged 6*d.* each.

Jewellery, Silver, Watches, and other valuable articles, are taken on the Specie rate on their value, the Company reserving to themselves the right to charge by value, or measurement.

Packages exceeding one cubic foot must be in strong wooden cases or they cannot be received.

Baggage.

First class Passengers are allowed in the Company's Steamers only, on either side of the Isthmus, 3 cwt. of personal Baggage free of Freight, and children and servants 1 cwt. 56lbs. each.

The charge for extra baggage is at the rate of £1 per cwt. between England or Malta and Alexandria; and £2 per cwt. between Suez and India.

Passengers for India and China will have to pay the Egyptian Transit Administration in Egypt 14*s.* per cwt. for conveyance of baggage, should it exceed 2 cwt. each for First class Passengers, and children and servants 1 cwt. each.

The Egyptian Transit Administration will not forward any package of baggage exceeding 80lbs. weight, and measuring more than length 3 feet—breadth 1ft. 3in.—depth, 1 ft. 2in., with the Passengers to Suez. A departure from this regulation will cause a detention in Egypt to such packages of one month.

*** The Peninsular and Oriental Company contract, on requirement by the proper Officer, to convey to and from and between any of the places to which any of their vessels are to proceed, a limited number of Officers in the Navy, Army or Civil Service, with or without their wives and children, at rates never exceeding two-thirds of the rates charged for ordinary Passengers of a similar description.

General Screw Steam Shipping Company.

The Screw Steam Ship Propontis, 560 Tons, Captain Maynard, is under contract with the Government of Mauritius to convey Mails between Point de Galle and that Island; leaving Mauritius on or about the 13th and Galle on or about the 25th of each month.

Passage money, including Steward's fees, £31.

Agents in Ceylon,
ALEXANDER AND BINNY SCOTT & Co.

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Overland Route,—via Trieste.

The Austrian Lloyd's Steam Navigation Company despatch a first class Steamer direct to Trieste, after the arrival at Alexandria of Passengers by each Steamer from India.

Fares, 1st class (inclusive of all charges)	£16
2d class	11
3d class (Deck)	7
Children under 10 years,	Half fares
Children under 2 years .	Free

Parties who engage passage in India thereby secure priority in the choice of accommodation.

There are now so many Railroads open through Germany that London may be reached from Trieste in 6 days with comfort, at a cost varying from £12 to £15, inclusive of Hotel charges, &c. &c.

To Travellers who proceed through the Continent without unnecessary stoppages, the following is the expense of the journey from Ceylon to London.

From Ceylon to Suez ...	...£50 to £60
Expenses of Transit through Egypt	... 10
Alexandria to Trieste ...	... 16
Trieste to London	... 12
	£93

Of these expenses all except the portion from Trieste to London may be paid in Ceylon.

Under arrangements recently made with the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company, such baggage as Passengers proceeding to England *via* Trieste, may not wish to carry with them across the Continent, will be forwarded to Southampton per P. & O. Company's Steamer at a charge of 10s. per cwt.

Except when there is a Plague or Cholera in Egypt, Passengers land at Trieste, without detention for Quarantine.

AGENTS IN CEYLON.

MESSRS. WILSON RITCHIE and Co., *Colombo and Galle.*

Bombay Steam Navigation Company—ESTABLISHED 1845.

AGENTS.

At Kurrachee—Messrs. McIver & Co. Cananore—Messrs. Bhimjee Dhunjee Sons & Co.
Surat—Messrs Manackjee & Co. Calicut—A. Fernandez Esq.
Vingolar—A. P. Segueira Esq. Cochin—James Oughterson Esq.
Goa—A. Gomes Esq.

COLOMBO—DAWSON DICKSON & CO.

Steamer "Bombay"....	384 Tons	200 horse power	screw (Iron)
"Dwarka". ..	322 „	60 „	paddle „
"Victoria"....	305 „	80 „	„
"George Russel Clark"..	60 „	22 „	„

The Company's Steamers ply between Bombay and Kurrachee, leaving Bombay on the 8th, 18th, and 27th of every month at 2 o'clock p. m., and Kurrachee on the 2d, 12th, and 22d of every month at 5 o'clock p. m., conveying the Mails between those parts under contract with the East India Company's Government.

Between Bombay and Surat, leaving Bombay every Tuesday with the ebb tide, and Surat every Friday with the first of the flood tide.

Between Bombay and Panwell, leaving Bombay every morning at 6 a. m., and Panwell every morning at 5 p. m., and, in addition, leave each of these places at 12 o'clock every day during the S. W. monsoon, Sundays excepted; thus making one trip in the N. E. and two trips in the S. W. monsoon, each way every day.

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Arrivals and Departures of the Mails in 1854.

Arrivals from Suez.

P. & O. Company. Name of Steamer.	Left London.	Reached Galle.
Hindostan	Dec. 4	Jan. 7
Bengal	Dec. 20	Jan. 22
Bentinck	Jan. 4	Feb. 8
Oriental	Jan. 20	Feb. 23
Bombay	Feb. 4	Mar. 10
Hindostan	Feb. 20	Mar. 27
Bengal	Mar. 4	April 9
Bentinck	Mar. 20	April 25
Oriental	April 4	May 8
Bombay	April 20	May 27
Hindostan	May 6	June 9
Bengal	May 20	June 22
Bentinck	June 4	July 6
Oriental	June 20	July 24
Ganges	July 4	Aug. 8
Bombay	July 20	Aug. 24
Bengal	Aug. 5	Sept. 5
Precursor	Aug. 19	Sept. 25
Bentinck	Sept. 5	Oct. 7
Oriental	Sept. 20	Oct. 26
Hindostan	Oct. 5	Nov. 6
Bombay	Oct. 20	Nov. 26
Bengal	Nov. 4	Dec. 10

Arrivals from Calcutta.

P. & O. Company. Name of Steamer.	Left Calcutta	Reached Galle
Oriental	Jan. 4	Jan. 13
Bombay	„ 19	„ 28
Hindostan	Feb. 4	Feb. 13
Bengal	„ 19	„ 27
Bentinck	March 4	March 13
Oriental	„ 19	„ 27
Bombay	April 5	April 14
Hindostan	„ 19	„ 27
Bengal	May 1	May 9
Bentinck	„ 15	„ 24
Oriental	June 1	June 10
Ganges	„ 15	„ 23
Bombay	„ 30	July 8
Bengal	July 14	„ 24
Precursor	Aug. 4	Aug. 15
Bentinck	„ 18	„ 27
Oriental	Sept. 4	Sept. 14
Hindostan	„ 18	„ 27
Bentinck	Oct. 4	Oct. 12
Bengal	„ 18	„ 27
Oriental	Nov. 7	Nov. 16
Bentinck	„ 18	„ 27
Hindostan	Dec. 6	Dec. 13

Steamers from Bombay, China, and Australia.

Name of Steamer	Left Hong Kong	Arrived at Galle
Cadiz (from Bombay)	Jan. 2	Jan. 6
Singapore	Dec. 27	„ 11
Malta (from Bombay)	—	„ 23
Pottinger	Jan. 11	„ 26
Norna (from Bombay)	Feb. 1	Feb. 6
Ganges	Jan. 27	„ 9
Singapore (from Bombay)	Feb. 16	„ 21
Madras (from Australia)	Jan. 25	„ 23
Cadiz	Feb. 11	„ 25
Ganges (from Bombay)	March 3	March 8
Malta	Feb. 25	„ 14
Cadiz (from Bombay)	March 16	„ 22
Norna	„ 11	„ 27
Pottinger (from Bombay)	„ 31	April 6
Singapore	„ 27	„ 12
Douro (from Bombay)	„ 16	„ 20
Chusan (from Australia)	April 4	„ 22

Name of Steamer.	Left Hong Kong.	Arrived at Galle.
Ganges	April 12	April 27
Malta (from Bombay)	May 1	May 5
Cadiz	April 22	„ 7
Singapore (from Bombay)	May 15	„ 20
Pottinger	„ 6	„ 26
Cadiz (from Bombay)	June 1	June 5
Pekin	May 22 / June 6	„ 23
Erin (from Bombay)	„ 15	„ 21
Madras (from Australia)	May 27	„ 25
Pottinger (from Bombay)	July 1	July 8
Singapore	June 22	„ 9
Cadiz	July 6	„ 22
Singapore (from Bombay)	„ 19	„ 24
Pekin (from Bombay)	Aug. 1	Aug. 5
Erin	July 22	„ 12
Malta (from Bombay)	Aug. 15	„ 21
Norna	July 21	„ 21

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Steamers from China, &c. *(Continued.)*

Name of Steamer.	Left Hong Kong.	Arrived at Galle.	Name of Steamer.	Left Hong Kong.	Arrived at Galle.
Pottinger	Aug. 6	Aug. 26	Madras(fromAustralia).....	Sept. 20	Oct. 21
Cadiz (from Bombay)	Sept. 1	Sept. 5	Cadiz.....	Oct. 11	„ 28
Singapore	Aug. 22	„ 9	Chusan(fromBombay)	„ 31	Nov. 7
Erin (from Bombay)	Sept. 15	„ 20	Propontis (from Bombay)	—	„ 10
Ganges	„ 11	„ 29	Erin	„ 28	„ 12
Malta (from Bombay)	Oct. 1	Oct. 5	Malta	Nov. 11	„ 27
Chusan	Sept. 27	„ 16	Singapore	„ 27	Dec. 11
Singapore (from Bombay)	Oct. 15	„ 20			

Mail Coaches.

KANDY ROYAL MAIL COACH.

The Mail leaves Colombo and Kandy daily (Sundays excepted) at 5 A. M. reaches Colombo at 3½, and Kandy at 4 P. M.

FARES—From Colombo to Kandy, and vice versa	...	£ 2	10 0
From Colombo to Ambepusse	... ...	1	5 0
From Colombo to Otoankandy	... ...	2	0 0
Intermediate stages, per mile	... ...	0	0 9

Offices, No. 24, Chatham-street, Colombo; and adjoining the Government Agent's Office, Kandy.

GALLE ROYAL MAIL COACH.

Leaves Colombo every Monday Wednesday and Friday at 5 A. M. and arrives at Galle between 4 and 5 P. M. Leaves Galle every Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at the same hour in the morning, and reaches Colombo between 4 and 5 P.M.

FARES—Between Colombo and Galle	... ...	£2	10 0
Intermediate stages, per mile	... ...	0	0 9

Offices, No. 8, Hospital-street, Colombo; and No. 3, Flag Staff-street, Fort, Galle.

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PART V.

Statistics.

Revenue and Expenditure	Roads, Toll Stations, etc.
Imports and Exports	Ports and Harbours
Trade and Navigation	Signals.
Sales of Crown Lands	Shipping.
Population	Latitudes and Longitudes.
Educational	&c. &c. &c.

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Statement of the Revenue of the Colony of Ceylon for the year ended 31st December 1853.

Arrears of Revenue of Former Years.				16015	0	10
REVENUE OF THE CURRENT YEAR.						
Customs			122968	8	2	
PORT AND HARBOUR DUES.						
Port Clearances.	3943	13	1			
Boats and Moorings	75	7	6½			
Pilotage	503	5	0			
				4522	5	7½
LAND SALES.						
Waste Lands, &c.	2891	12	3¾			
Cinnamon Gardens	188	11	3			
				3080	3	6¾
LAND REVENUE.						
Paddy	42460	3	5¼			
Fine Grain	3282	10	3½			
Gardens	1488	16	10½			
Rent of Lands	530	7	11½			
Royalty on Plumbago dug in Government Lands	53	5	1½			
Royalty in Cabook stones cut in Government Lands	6	12	0			
Tythes redeemed	11	13	3			
				47833	8	11¼
RENTS EXCLUSIVE OF LANDS.						
Tolls—Bridges, Ferries, Canals, Roads,&c.	26189	14	5¾			
Government Buildings & Houses	1105	12	9½			
Rent of Military Quarters	919	18	11½			
				28215	6	2¾
LICENSES.						
Arrack, Rum and Toddy	59000	4	4½			
Stills	906	0	0			
Wholesale dealers in Arrack	52	0	0			
Retail of other Spirits	52	0	0			
Retail of Salt	2456	12	2¾			
Chanks	629	15	0¾			
Fire Arms	127	15	0			
Carriers	2432	2	0			
Carriages for hire	144	0	0			
				65800	8	8

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STAMPS.						
Judicial & Blank Stamps . .	.	.	.	23199	0	6½
TAXES.						
On Immoveable property within Towns .	.	.	.	5330	14	5¾
POSTAGE.						
On Private Letters . . .	.	.	.	8157	11	11
FINES AND FORFEITURES.						
Supreme Court	126	18	4¾			
District Courts	292	18	6⅝			
Police Courts and Courts of Requests .	3347	2	7¾			
Government Agents, &c. . . .	20	1	11¾			
Petty Receipts	52	10	10½			
				3839	12	4¾
SALE OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY.						
Salt	41038	4	9½			
Arrack and Rum. . . .	659	4	5			
Commissariat Stores & Provisions, Building Materials &c.	15133	10	11			
Timber	1210	4	4½			
Weights and Measures . . .	258	16	2¼			
Unserviceable Stores . . .	508	10	4¼			
Sundries	246	5	4½			
				59054	16	5
RATION STOPPAGES.						
Queen's Troops. . . .	7710	5	0			
Ordnance Department . . .	612	13	0			
				8322	18	
REIMBURSEMENTS IN AID OF EXPENSES INCURRED BY GOVERNMENT.						
Hospital Stoppages . . .	35	18	5			
Government Gazettes and Calendars, &c. .	181	16	6			
Value of lost Tools recovered . .	32	15	11¾			
School Fees	937	19	1½			
Maintenance of Prisoners in Gaols .	81	10	8¾			
Barrack Damages . . .	53	15	3			
Sundries.	834	0	1¼			
Surveying Fees recovered . .	195	7	8			
				2353	3	9
INTEREST.						
On Monies lent out by the Loan Board .	1215	18	10½			
On arrears of Revenue . . .	2036	8	0½			
On Balance in the hands of the Agents at Madras	1	9	1½			
				3253	16	0½

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MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.						
Abatement on Salaries	4487	13	1½			
Overpayments and Surcharges recovered	2573	0	10½			
Subscription to Widows' Pension Fund	158	12	6			
Colombo Fiscal's fees paid over to Government	0	0	0			
Small receipts	573	9	0			
School books, &c.	216	6	9¼			
				8009	2	3¼
Pearl Fishery in the Eastern Province				154	8	4
SPECIAL RECEIPTS.						
Fees for Title Deeds.	41	18	10¼			
Fees for Notarial Deeds	5	4	0			
Fees for issuing Thombo Extracts	16	14	0			
				63	16	10¼
RECEIPTS BY THE AGENTS IN LONDON						
Subscription to Widows' Pension fund	458	0	0			
Dividend on account of Widows' fund	1207	17	3			
Drawbacks and Incidental receipts	995	12	8			
				2661	9	11
In all Revenue				412835	7	11¼
TOTAL £				412835	7	11¼

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Statement of the Expenditure of the Colony of Ceylon for the Year ended 31st December 1853.

ESTABLISHMENTS OF THE COLONY.	*SALARIES.*						*Allowances.*			*Office Contingencies.*			*TOTAL.*		
	Fixed Establishment.			*Provisional and Temporary.*											
CIVIL ESTABLISHMENTS.															
The Governor	7434	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	16	8	7442	4	8
Colonial Secretary	6319	9	4¾	503	8	6¼	166	17	6	456	16	5	7446	11	10
Treasurer	3105	7	0	129	15	5¾	323	16	10	210	5	8¾	3769	5	0½
Auditor General and Comptroller of Revenue	3274	8	10	354	6	0	0	0	0	70	11	5½	3699	6	3½
Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads	4604	16	3¼	2310	7	6	349	0	0	998	10	8	8262	14	5¼
Surveyor General	3206	7	9	697	11	0	251	0	0½	23	15	11¾	4178	14	9¼
Botanic Garden	480	4	0	347	7	9½	0	0	0	14	11	10¾	842	3	8¼
Loan Board	439	9	4	24	10	8	0	0	0	9	3	4	473	3	4
Savings' Bank	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	0
Provincial Road Committees—Division Officers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CUSTOMS.															
Western and North Western Provinces	2861	8	6	1359	15	8	0	0	0	171	5	11	4392	10	1
Southern Province	1439	5	0	256	18	6	0	0	0	107	1	7	1803	5	1
Northern Province	577	4	2½	1010	8	1	0	0	0	72	11	2¾	1660	3	6¼
Eastern Province	343	4	5	83	15	11	0	0	0	28	11	3	455	11	7
MASTERS ATTENDANT.															
Colombo	1199	2	0	38	8	0	0	0	0	117	12	6¼	1355	2	6¼
Galle	812	15	0	279	11	9	0	0	0	84	14	11¾	1177	1	8½
Trincomalie	546	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	16	7½	586	10	7½
POST OFFICE	3119	13	5	451	16	2	13	10	0	1123	17	0	4708	16	7
AGENTS OF PROVINCES.															
Western Province	6522	12	4	1145	11	5¾	441	16	0	241	6	6	8351	6	3¾
North-Western do.	4201	0	5¼	500	7	0	0	0	0	86	5	8¼	4787	13	1½
Southern do.	6097	5	5	333	1	0	249	14	0	226	1	2¾	6906	1	7¾
Northern do.	5830	10	1¾	88	6	5½	0	0	0	154	7	11	6073	4	6¼

Eastern	do.																		
Central	do.																		
		4184	14	0	79	2	6	0	0	0	76	19	11¼	4340	16	5½
		6282	19	0¾	859	13	9¼	0	0	0	159	3	3¼	7301	16	1¼
JUDICIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.																			
Chief Justice, Supreme Court		2770	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2770	0	0
1st and 2d Puisne Justices	do.	3883	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3883	0	0
Queen's Advocate, Deputy Queen's Advocate and Deputies to the Queen's Advocate		3932	18	0	131	18	8½	0	0	0	6	6	0	4071	2	8½
Registrar of the Supreme Court		1405	3	4	72	8	0	0	0	0	10	11	6	1488	2	10
DISTRICT & POLICE COURTS & COURTS OF REQUESTS.																			
Colombo		4124	11	4	122	0	0	0	0	0	65	4	10¾	4311	16	2¾
Caltura		921	0	0	45	0	0	0	0	0	1	15	6	967	15	6
Ratnapoora	*In the Western Province*	628	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	630	14	0
Negombo		567	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	569	0	0
Kaigalle		457	6	8	24	0	0	0	0	0	7	9	6	488	16	2
Avishawelle		367	10	0	174	0	0	0	0	0	6	10	0	548	0	0
Chilaw		923	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	16	0	925	16	0
Putlam	*In the North Western Province*	448	15	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	448	15	5
Kornegalle		1056	13	8	168	0	0	0	0	0	18	2	6	1242	16	2
Bentotte		585	0	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	1	13	9	604	13	9
Galle		1736	5	0	16	16	0	0	0	0	46	13	8	1799	14	8
Matura	*In the Southern Province*	1314	13	0	6	6	0	0	0	0	1	13	8	1322	12	8
Tangalle		579	0	6	236	18	10	0	0	0	2	4	8	818	4	0
Hambantotte		459	14	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	460	14	2
Jaffna		2087	0	0	245	0	0	50	0	0	72	2	4½	2454	2	4½
Point Pedro		486	10	11½	46	4	11¾	0	0	0	4	8	9	537	4	8¼
Chavagacherry		448	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	8	0	451	3	0
Kaits		465	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	465	0	0
Mulletivoe	*In the Northern Province*	417	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	16	4½	420	6	4½
Mallagam		304	0	0	2	16	8	0	0	0	5	8	6	312	5	2
Manaar		538	5	0	61	0	8	0	0	0	0	9	4½	599	15	0½
Nuwerakalawia		581	6	8	11	0	0	0	0	0	2	12	6	594	19	2
Trincomalie	*In the Eastern Province*	1039	10	0	4	10	0	0	0	0	9	6	6	1053	6	6
Batticaloa		309	4	0	51	0	8½	0	0	0	3	16	0	364	0	8½

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ESTABLISHMENTS OF THE COLONY.	SALARIES. Fixed Establishment.			SALARIES. Provisional and Temporary.			Allowances.			Office Contingencies.			TOTAL.		
Kandy . }	3128	10	5½	52	0	0	0	0	0	41	10	4	3222	0	9½
Badulla .	814	15	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	17	0	823	12	10
Matelle .	724	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	16	0	725	16	0
Gampolle . } *In the Central Province*	474	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	11	7	486	11	7
Nuwera Ellia .	330	0	0	12	7	11	0	0	0	2	7	9	344	15	8
Maddeweletenne .	306	5	0	189	0	0	0	0	0	6	11	6	501	16	6
Navellapitiye . }	0	0	0	51	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	8	0
ECCLESIASTICAL ESTABLISHMENT.															
Episcopal Church Establishment .	7302	18	3¼	391	0	0	790	0	0	0	0	0	8483	18	3¼
Presbyterian do. .	1164	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1164	2	0
Education do. .	3175	16	3¾	4581	5	11¼	0	0	0	0	0	0	7757	2	2¾
Medical do. .	3045	16	7¾	4445	2	8	50	0	0	59	8	6	7600	7	9¾
POLICE ESTABLISHMENT.															
Western Province .	1903	16	4½	2334	15	0¾	71	19	11¾	247	3	4	4557	14	8¼
Central do. .	268	11	5¼	1787	2	8¾	73	1	4¾	86	0	3	2214	15	9¾
FISCALS IN THE PROVINCES INCLUDING GAOLS.															
Western Province .	2274	15	0¼	469	10	0	0	0	0	13	15	0½	2758	0	0¾
North Western do. .	359	12	0	396	2	6	0	0	0	43	0	8	798	15	2
Southern do. .	1325	19	6	16	13	0	0	0	0	100	11	3½	1443	3	9½
Northern do. .	696	17	3	145	6	3	0	0	0	65	18	4	908	1	10
Eastern do. .	469	5	2	78	15	8	0	0	0	2	8	0	550	8	10
Central do. .	1216	0	0	369	7	0	0	0	0	18	18	2¾	1604	5	2¾
Colonial Commissary .	4381	9	10¾	197	10	7¾	0	0	0	0	0	0	4579	0	6½
Agent General in London .	400	0	0	0	0	0	125	0	0	0	0	0	525	0	0
In all Establishments . £	139582	16	4	27811	11	2¼	2955	15	8¾	5468	15	7½	175818	18	10½

SERVICES EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS.	Allowances.			Office Contingencies.			TOTAL.		
Brought forward	.	.	.	.	.	.	175818	18	10½
PENSIONS AND RETIRED ALLOWANCES									
Amount paid in the Colony	12956	13	3¾						
do. in England	18386	2	3						
do. in India	3564	6	6						
				34907	2	0¾			
REVENUE SERVICES.									
Agent for the Western Province	688	2	6½						
do. North-Western do.	1227	2	7¼						
do. Southern do.	2316	18	8¼						
do. Eastern do.	1284	12	3						
do. Northern do.	2507	9	2						
do. Central do.	541	9	8¼						
				8595	14	11¼			
ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.									
Supreme Court	585	4	2½						
Agents	0	17	3½						
District and Police Courts	105	12	0½						
Fiscals of the Provinces	1325	14	11½						
				2017	8	5¾			
ECCLESIASTICAL.									
In aid of Missions	.	.	.	400	0	0			
CHARITABLE ALLOWANCES									
Subsistence to Paupers, Expenses of the Colombo Orphan Asylum and Military Orphan Boys, Donations to Friend in Need Societies and Public Libraries, &c.									
Agent for the Western Province	1735	2	1¾						
do. North-Western do.	55	9	6						
do. Southern do.	441	0	0						
do. Northern do.	336	10	6						
do. Eastern do.	276	10	6						
do. Central do.	430	19	3						
				3275	11	10½			
Education	.	.	.	1531	14	2¾			

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Services Exclusive of Establishments.	*Allowances.*			*Office Contingencies.*			*TOTAL.*		
HOSPITALS.									
Agent for the Western Province	1264	15	2¾						
do. North Western do.	261	10	1½						
do. Southern do.	62	6	0						
do. Northern do.	229	3	10½						
do. Eastern do.	5	0	0						
do. Central do.	364	4	5½						
				2186	19	8¼			
POLICE AND GAOLS.									
Fiscal for the Western Province	1902	12	5						
do. North Western do.	234	9	0¼						
do. Southern do.	1294	17	3						
do. Northern do.	411	11	4½						
do. Eastern do.	114	15	0¼						
do. Central do.	1315	19	10¼						
Superintendent of Police Colombo	123	0	2¼						
do. do. Kandy	17	2	10½						
District Judges and Police Magistrates	39	19	6						
Agents of the Provinces	198	1	0						
				5652	8	6			
RENT.									
Colonial Secretary,	0	0	0						
Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads	54	0	0						
Surveyor General	12	0	0						
Post Offices	66	2	0						
Customs	6	15	0						
Agents of the Provinces, including Rent of School Houses	969	8	6						
Queen's Advocate	84	0	0						
District and Police Courts	120	15	0						
Deputy Commissary General	10	3	2½						
Superintendent of Police Colombo	120	18	0						
do. Kandy	73	19	11¾						
Medical Department	12	18	9						
				1531	0	5¼			

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TRANSPORT.

The Governor						48	8	6	
Colonial Secretary and the Officers of his Department						132	14	6	
Treasurer—Conveyance of Treasure						113	19	11½	
Auditor General						5	18	0	
Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads, and the Officers of his Department						377	15	10	
Surveyor General and do. do. do.						90	8	0	
Officers of Customs						121	0	6½	
Queen's Advocate						12	0	0	
Police Magistrates, Justices of the Peace and their Interpreters						61	16	10½	
Superintendent of Police Colombo and the Officers of his Department						56	9	0	
do. Kandy and do. do.						35	13	3	
Superintendent, Botanic Garden						57	3	6	
Agents of the Provinces, Assistant Agents and the Officers of their Departments, including Medical Officers travelling on Vaccine and Small Pox duties, vizt.									
Western Province					437 11 6½				
NorthWestern do.					254 4 3				
Southern do.					191 2 9				
Northern do.					213 8 1				
Eastern do.					54 12 8¾				
Central do.					223 5 0				
Fiscals of the Provinces—Transport of Prisoners, &c.						1374	4	4¼	
Western Province					447 12 8				
North-Western do.					16 13 0				
Northern do.					14 8 3				
Eastern do.					9 16 0				
Southern do.					0 15 0				
Medical Department					59 15 0				
						548	19	11	3036 12 2¾
Conveyance of Mails						.	.	.	3686 12 3½
WORKS AND BUILDINGS.									
Civil Works					6431 18 11¾				
Military do.					5095 8 5¼				
						11527	7	5	11527 7 5

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SERVICES EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS.	Allowances.			Office Contingencies.			TOTAL.		
Roads Streets and Bridges	.	.	.	40112	5	3½			
MISCELLANEOUS.									
Treasurer	1886	2	4¾						
Auditor General	32	16	1						
Surveyor General for the Survey of Crown Lands	228	19	10½						
Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads	25	8	11¼						
Customs	37	16	6						
Agents of the Provinces	1465	19	5¼						
Indian Governments and Agents	518	3	10						
Agent in London	413	19	1						
				4609	6	1¾			
INTEREST.									
Treasurer	174	13	10						
Agent in London	61	7	6						
				236	1	4			
COLONIAL COMMISSARIAT.									
Expenditure in the Colony	24903	16	3						
do. by the Agent in London	6464	19	11						
do. by do. in India	578	1	4						
				31946	17	6			
Contribution towards Military Expenditure	.	.	.	24000	0	0			
COLONIAL PAY AND ALLOWANCES.									
To European Troops	10709	7	2¾						
„ Native do.	9799	10	1¾						
„ Staff	10593	18	7¾						
				31102	16	0			
Refund of Duties	.	.	.	25	11	8			
Government Vessels	.	.	.	318	15	2			
In all Services, exclusive of Establishments							210700	5	3½
							385519	4	2
Excess of Revenue over Expenditure	.	.	.	.	.	.	26316	3	9¼
TOTAL	.	.	.	.	.	.	412835	7	11¾

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ESTIMATE OF THE REVENUE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF CEYLON FOR THE YEAR 1855.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Arrears of Revenue of former years	10,000	0	0
Customs	124,000	0	0
Port and Harbour Dues	4,500	0	0
Land Sales	5,000	0	0
Land Revenue	47,500	0	0
Rents, exclusive of land	28,000	0	0
Licenses	67,500	0	0
Stamps	22,500	0	0
Taxes	5,000	0	0
Postage	5,000	0	0
Fines, Forfeitures, and Fees of Court	4,000	0	0
Sale of Government Property	65,000	0	0
Ration Stoppages from Her Majesty's Troops	5,000	0	0
Reimbursements in aid of Expenses incurred by Government	2,000	0	0
Miscellaneous Receipts	6,500	0	0
Interest	2,500	0	0
Pearl Fishery	10,000	0	0
Special Receipts	100	0	0
Receipts by the Agent General in London	2,000	0	0
TOTAL..£....	416,100	0	0

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DISBURSEMENTS.				£	s.	d.
Charges specially sanctioned by H. M. Government.						
Civil Establishments	54,174	13	10			
Agents of Provinces	33,489	7	6			
Judicial Establishments	37,955	10	0			
Ecclesiastical Establishments	8,815	10	0			
Educational Establishments	3,229	2	8			
Medical Establishments	3,231	16	0			
Police Establishments	2,274	8	0			
Fiscals in the Provinces	6,516	8	0			
Colonial Commissary	3,275	4	0			
Agent General in London	525	0	0			
				153,537 0 0		
Colonial Pay and Allowances	..	..	..	34,110 8 11¼		
				187,647	8	11¼
Civil Pensions	26,345	18	5			
State do.	3,400	0	0			
Military do.	5,047	10	6			
				34,793 8 11		
Travelling Allowance to the Bishop	500	0	0			
Fixed Allowances in aid of the Incidental expenses of certain Churches	260	0	0			

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Allowance of Kandyan Chiefs	158	8	0						
Allowance of Fisher Headmen	405	4	0						
Allowance of the Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads for the keep of Horses	100	0	0						
Allowance to D. S. Dias Bandarnaike, late Modliar of the Gangebodde and Oedoegahapattoos of the Cina Corle	21	12	0						
Allowance for entertaining distinguished Visitors staying at Government House Galle	100	0	0						
				1,545	4	0			
Half difference of Salary of a Civil Servant				50	0	0			
Payment to Mail Coaches for conveying the Public Mails				668	16	0			
Interest on Dutch Credit Brieven				311	7	6			
Contribution towards Military Expenditure				24,000	0	0	61,368	16	5
							249,016	5	$4\frac{1}{4}$
Charges voted by the Legislative Council							176,489	5	11
							425,505	11	$3\frac{1}{4}$
Deduct probable savings on the above disbursements							10,000	0	0
							415,505	11	$3\frac{1}{4}$
Surplus Revenue							594	8	$8\frac{3}{4}$
							416,100	0	0

Council Chamber,
Colombo, 30th December, 1854.

P. W. Braybrooke,
Acting Clerk to the Council.

TOTAL..£....

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RETURN of the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE from the year 1821 to 1853 inclusive—shewing the Excess of Revenue or Expenditure in each year.

Years.	*Revenue.*	*Expenditure.*	*Excess of Revenue.*	*Excess of Expenditure.*
1821	459699	481854	—	22515
—22... ...	473669	458346	15323	—
—23	355406	476242	—	120836
—24... ...	387259	441592	—	54333
—25... ...	355320	495529	—	140209
—26... ...	278350	394229	—	115879
—27... ...	264735	411648	—	146913
—28... ...	305712	339516	—	33804
—29... ...	389534	344757	44777	—
—30... ...	403475	347029	56446	—
—31... ...	420170	346565	73605	—
—32... ...	369437	338100	31337	—
—33... ...	437555	331764	105791	—
—34	377952	334835	43117	—
—35... ...	371995	323277	48718	—
—36... ..	406787	352986	53801	—
—37... ...	371994	390706	—	18712
—38... ...	339437	359074	—	19639
—39	372013	383592	—	11579
—40... ...	331200	355298	—	24098
—41... ...	344465	361326	—	16861
—42... ...	322369	327103	—	4734
—43... ...	383118	325155	57963	—
—44... ...	444318	374876	69442	—
—45... ...	454146	448232	5914	—
—46... ...	416404	498205	—	81801
—47... ...	440619	518987	—	78360
—48... ...	414765	431325	—	16560
—49... ...	409306	418424	—	9118
—50... ...	415667	390425	25242	—
—51... ...	429700	409123	20577	—
—52... ...	411806	412871	—	1065
—53... ...	412835	386519	26316	—
	12771217	13009610	678369	916662
Deduct Excess of Revenue				678369
Net Excess of Expenditure				238293

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RETURN of IMPORTS of the ISLAND of CEYLON for 1849, 1850, 1851, 1852, & 1853, compiled from the Returns of the several Collectors of Sea Customs.

		Total value of Articles Imported in each Year.									*Quantities.*	1852			*Quantities.*	1853		
		1849			1850			1851				£	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
Ammunition and Arms	Great Britain	662	1	6	1065	3	1	632	12	5	9 packages, No. 61 cwt. 380 & 18 pairs	550	3	6	19 packages, Cwt. 187½ No. 19 and 2 pieces	346	11	11
	British Colonies	23	19	4	98	9	7	20	4	2	20 do. 23 boxes 14½ pairs & 16 lbs.	253	15	3	16 „ 23 lbs. No. 15 and 18 pieces	22	17	„
	Foreign States	36	10	„	10	10	„	16	15	„	112 lbs. & No. 8 —	7	3	„	No. 4	3	„	„
Gunpowder	Great Britain	817	9	„	2205	5	„	1688	6	„	9075 lbs.	453	15	„	35150 lbs.	1757	10	„
	British Colonies	2	„	„	9	1	„	1	7	„	125½ lbs.	1	5	6	30 „	1	10	„
Apparel, wearing	Great Britain	790	„	11	1768	3	11	1625	9	3	52 packages & 44 pieces	1164	„	2	77 packages and 108 pieces	1522	18	9
	British Colonies	131	6	„	271	18	3	577	6	6	119 do. 17¼ doz.	1074	7	5	73 „	973	8	11
	Foreign States	479	1	2	883	16	8	1000	17	2	1 piece	„	3	„	„	„	„	„
Boats	Great Britain	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	4	45	„	„	„	„	„	„
	British Colonies	338	11	„	330	7	6	275	„	„	74 do.	399	9	6	178	704	9	„
	Foreign States	40	5	„	„	10	„	„	„	„	1 do.	1	„	„	1	30	„	„
Bones, Horns & Hides	Great Britain	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
	British Colonies	181	5	11	874	6	5	303	6	3	Cwt. 410 „ „ —	316	10	8	1477 3 3	1195	14	2
	Foreign States	„	8	2	„	„	„	87	10	„	—	„	„	„	„ 1 24	„	9	9
Books, printed	Great Britain	1502	2	7	1972	12	2	3354	„	11	79 packages, & 168 volumes	1544	5	„	103 packages and 126 volumes	1824	1	1
	British Colonies	492	1	„	468	13	„	510	6	„	265 do. & 2966 do.	2168	12	9	253 „ 3125 „	1799	15	„
	Foreign States	1627	12	10	1749	1	7	2294	4	7	239 volumes	13	2	„	75 volumes	1	„	„
	United States	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Bricks & Tiles	Great Britain	44	8	3	„	„	„	448	18	3	310 packages & 975 pieces	80	„	1	20730	181	2	11
	British Colonies	40	15	„	„	„	„	„	14	9	142240 No. and cwt. 3 2 6	103	1	6	41000	12	6	„
	Foreign States	1	4	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Butter & Ghee	Great Britain	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	cwt. 68 0 11	343	2	4
	British Colonies	2106	8	5	1837	12	11	1951	15	9	9232¼ gallons & Cwt. 17 1 5	1738	„	2	9502 galls and cwt. 10 3 11	1816	15	3
	Foreign States	9	10	2	5	17	3	11	18	2	28 do.	7	„	8	140½ „ „ 24 „ 12	166	19	4
Carriages	Great Britain	577	3	7	173	„	„	80	„	„	2 packages	115	„	„	2 „	100	„	„
	British Colonies	144	„	„	167	17	„	83	„	„	27 do.	106	2	„	24 „	87	2	6
	Foreign States	„	„	„	1	13	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Casks & Staves	Great Britain	809	12	„	739	„	1	332	4	5	327 packages	170	3	5	627	725	11	6
	British Colonies	596	3	6	341	7	„	153	3	„	2606 do.	1153	15	„	44	19	14	„
	Foreign States	162	11	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
	United States	„	„	„	152	9	3	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	117	84	„	„
Cheese	Great Britain	1115	18	6	784	11	10	584	19	8	Cwt. 174 0 11½	949	1	11	173 „ 12	931	2	4
	British Colonies	99	18	1	34	11	6	2	1	10	4 packages, & cwt. 2 0 9	22	8	„	3 „ 23	16	1	11
	Foreign States	9	13	4	4	4	„	1	8	„	—	„	„	„	38 3 14	173	16	3
	United States	„	„	„	8	12	6	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Clocks & Watches	Great Britain	130	3	„	373	14	6	80	17	6	18 packages	124	„	3	23 packages and 7	332	8	3
	British Colonies	62	2	„	19	15	„	100	10	„	12 do. and 42 No.	494	5	„	19 „ „ 23	392	„	„
	Foreign States	336	10	„	765	7	4	604	„	„	—	„	„	„	2	3	10	„
	United States	„	„	„	31	„	„	11	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Coals & Coke	Great Britain	16349	15	1	28860	7	6	22155	17	„	13774¼ tons	20611	10	6	33030 8 0.0	70373	13	3
	British Colonies	1796	5	„	10	„	„	83	„	„	—	„	„	„	1 0 0 0	3	„	„
Confectionery & Preserves	Great Britain	510	16	6	781	19	8	697	„	10	495 packages & 6½ doz.	877	4	9	227 packages and 40 lbs.	760	12	7
	British Colonies	1052	6	4	1014	11	9	077	1	2	2330 do.	1247	10	4	2056 „ cwt. 1 2 16 and No. 16	1329	9	11
	Foreign States	240	17	„	217	3	3	231	11	6	3205 do.	395	13	5	1550 „ „ 7	166	9	7
Cotton Goods	Great Britain	92415	7	1	89551	14	10	118338	9	7	3617 do. 520 pieces & 56 doz.	96613	9	7	4732 „ and 66 pieces	135301	2	4
	British Colonies	90364	13	3	88716	15	3	85677	18	„	3092 do. 271449 pieces	81334	19	„	3640 „ 154484 pieces	81130	5	3
	Foreign States	7798	1	6	8149	18	9	10077	3	11	144 do. 18232 do.	9791	14	9	225 „ 9328 pieces	11779	12	6
	United States	333	2	6	1148	3	„	2180	1	10	2 do. 2375 do.	1338	„	„	„	„	„	„
Curry stuff	British Colonies	9299	8	5	7097	12	8	9006	2	1	12 do. cwt. 31597½	8832	14		32107 1 27	11549	16	3
	Foreign States	364	19	11	169		7	439	14	1	7 do. do. 326 0 14 & 77¾ bushels	206	12	3	128 0 5	69	15	„

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		Total value of Articles Imported in each Year.									*Quantities.*	1852			*Quantities.*	1853		
		1849			1850			1851										
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Cutlery & Hardware	Great Britain	3729	13	7	8208	2	4	9923	10	6	1343 packages & 310 pieces	7878	5	9	1203 packages	6860	4	11
	British Colonies	545	8	6	918	3	6	797	2	11	236 do.	868	4	2	71 „ and 1180 pieces	631	2	10
	Foreign States	93	2	„	146	17	1	163	2	2	2 do. & 45 pieces	2	12	7	cwt. 20 2 24 130 doz. and 2042 ps.	39	9	2
	United States	„	„	„	22	9	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Earthenware	Great Britain	2664	6	2	4674	9	4	6591	2	„	841 packages & 51 pieces	4478	3	1	627 packages and 146 pieces	3785	5	8
	British Colonies	2838	18	„	2775	8	„	2504	1	7	2595 do. & 8324421 pieces	1866	19	8	7449 „ 1004526 pieces	2641	6	9
	Foreign States	1036	17	10	778	18	1	1055	13	6	9356 do. & 704101 do.	1172	11	„	619523 pieces	400	10	9
	United States	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Felt	Great Britain	14	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Fish of sorts	Great Britain	183	17	8	160	1	6	„	15	„	Cwt. 4 3 17	4	18	„	cwt. 14 2 22	14	13	11
	British Colonies	13837	7	„	19417	3	3	18863	7	„	21687 0 3	21686	15	9	„ 18611 2 0	18610	12	7
	Foreign States	10436	12	8	16127	8	9	10162	1	„	8978 1 18	8978	12	11	„ 12375 2 25	12374	11	„
Furniture	Great Britain	207	9	11	492	1	„	421	6	4	25 packages & 53 pieces	274	16	4	64 packages and 6 pieces	591	8	6
	British Colonies	720	7	5	1074	16	6	783	8	10	1396 do. & 224 do.	1077	16	10	245 „ and 1358 pieces	955	5	10
	Foreign States	159	18	5	54	11	8	62	19	11	180 do. & 127 do.	202	8	11	5 „ and 95 pieces	32	5	8
	United States	„	„	„	136	19	8	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Glass of sorts	Great Britain	1808	17	„	2401	14	9	1649	11	1	600 packages & 44 doz.	2517	19	2	569 packages	2268	8	„
	British Colonies	739	19	3	421	13	4	372	14	9	73 do. 2223 pairs & 760½ pieces	354	5	2	1998 pieces 107 packages and 290 doz.	496	„	10
	Foreign States	28	4	„	18	1	11	55	5	11	5 do. 706½ doz.	13	1	4	1063 „ and 79½ doz.	13	8	5
	United States	256	7	3	566	7	6	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Grain Gram	British Colonies	9781	4	4	9326	13	6	12992	9	„	66259 bushels	13251	13	6	69566½ bushels	13913	9	2
	Foreign States	164	17	„	38	19	„	52	16	6	175 do.	34	19	6	619½ „	123	19	„
Paddy	British Colonies	59591	5	4	50205	„	„	69070	4	1	7010761/2 do.	52580	16	7	5446591/2 „	46099	9	6
	Foreign States	6117	9	8	6419	7	7	5769	15	4	763901/4 do.	5805	2	5	82857 „	6214	3	4
Peas & Beans	British Colonies	2166	14	„	1642	11	3	1059	12	„	7624 do.	1526	15	6	11407	2281	7	„
	Foreign States	58	13	3	8	10	„	1	2	„	—	„	„	„	2¼	„	9	„
Rice	British Colonies	322270	17	1	371510	11	2	355612	„	9	2060604 do.	360605	17	7	9276633	407430	19	4
	Foreign States	25231	19	10	40750	17	5	33165	6	7	271192½ do.	47458	13	5	297947	55438	„	7
Wheat	British Colonies	7559	18	6	9339	12	„	9221	6	6	47497 do.	9499	7	6	508151/2	10163	2	„
	Foreign States	68	2	„	19	10	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Gunnies & Twine	Great Britain	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	29 packages	525	11	7
	British Colonies	12777	5	8	10078	16	„	4184	7	8	1945 packages & 108 lbs.	7464	9	4	3277 packages	12240	18	5
	Foreign States	16	„	9	36	1	3	55	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Haberdashery & Millinery	Great Britain	8062	2	9	15104	10	2	6614	14	7	„	9106	8	2	375 „ 26 pieces and 180 lbs.	13196	12	6
	British Colonies	2212	19	„	3138	„	6	1965	10	4	„	5121	18	4	496 „ 33 „ 352 „ 37 doz.	6298	15	9
	Foreign States	2373	18	2	4288	11	2	3709	16	2	„	56	1	1	98 „ 14 „ 30½ „	82	13	7
	United States	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Ham & Bacon	Great Britain	1358	„	10	1188	10	11	898	4	5	Cwt. 205 0 11	1109	2	„	cwt. 233 3 23	1218	10	11
	British Colonies	42	3	2	4	19	6	27	12	„	2 packages & Cwt. 3 0 18	23	16	3	„ 2 12	5	9	3
	United States	126	18	6	141	19	4	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
	Foreign States	4	1	6	4	10	4	2	3	6	—	„	„	„	29 3 8	159	14	3
Hats & Bonnets	Great Britain	1616	„	5	2096	13	2	1038	„	9	33 packages & No. 487	785	11	1	54 packages and No. 99	1206	3	1
	British Colonies	147	18	8	119	13	„	192	2	6	30 do. & 202	228	18	„	30 „ „ 50	253	16	9
	Foreign States	1832	12	5	148	9	8	28	12	9	No. 10	1	1	„	„	„	„	„
Ice	British Colonies	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	6 „	26	„	„
	United States	500	„	„	800	„	„	„	„	„	610 tons	3800	„	„	„	„	„	„
Jewellery, Pearls and precious Stones	Great Britain	715	„	2	811	11	8	741	19	6	42 packages	3187	10	10	5 packages and 7 pieces	161	„	„
	British Colonies	720	12	6	2295	17	3	2319	15	4	58 do.	2577	8	3	50 „ 12 „	3925	7	2
	Foreign States	765	13	4	1828	9	6	1814	15	6	2 pieces	3	„	„	„	„	„	„
Live Stock	Great Britain	„	„	„	50	„	„	30	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
	British Colonies	23155	7	6	21688	15	6	22245	„	9	49825	21085	13	9	41372	22406	19	„
	Foreign States	14	18	„	20	13	„	1	5	„	19	31	17	9	165	78	7	„
Horses and Asses	British Colonies	2477	„	„	4579	9	3	3174	15	„	442	7070	10	„	356	4680	9	„
	Foreign States	„	„	„	40	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Machinery and Tools	Great Britain	1098	17	2	1166	14	8	936	4	„	192 packages & 131 pieces	2402	4	„	389 packages and 142 pieces	5579	10	4
	British Colonies	192	3	6	34	18	„	46	8	5	13 do. 55 pieces & 186½ doz.	124	14	9	8 „ 452 „ —	66	12	8
	Foreign States	35	11	„	17	10	„	6	15	„	8⅔ doz.	1	13	9	1 „ —	1	1	„
	United States	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„

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	Total value of Articles Imported in each Year.									*Quantities.*			*Quantities.*					
	1849			1850			1851						1852					1853
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.			£. s. d.
Malt Liquor... Great Britain ..	17196	14	5	15733	9	8	12018	5	3	121080 gallons			15932	19	4	99681⅓ gallons		13697 18 9
Malt Liquor... British Colonies	269	18	8	93	5	„	228	9	9	381 do.			89	5	„	3179 „		385 9 4
Malt Liquor... Foreign States..	8	15	2	„	„	„	1	10	„	—			„	„	„	—		„ „ „
Marine Stores.. Great Britain ..	1167	4	6	1617	11	5	1431	13	11	404 packages & cwt 257 3 0			1375	17	8	573 packages and 26 pieces		1756 7 7
Marine Stores.. British Colonies	137	10	6	72	9	6	203	14	3	13 do. 122 pieces & cwt. 12 2 13			131	2	4	234 „ 10 „		236 18 11
Marine Stores.. Foreign States..	„	„	„	„	„	„	7	5	9	200 do.			105	„	„	cwt. 2 and 12 pieces		11 17 5
Marine Stores.. United States ..	„	„	„	49	2	„	68	14	9	—			„	„	„	„		„ „ „
Medicines ..... Great Britain ..	945	1	11	1970	1	„	1091	10	9	219 do. & 6 doz.			1089	3	3	225 packages		1809 2 3
Medicines ..... British Colonies	2017	1	2	2012	12	6	1661	3	7	1151 do. & cwt. 146 3 4			2256	11	8	1231 „ and 65 pieces		2531 „ „
Medicines ..... United States ..	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—			„	„	„	„		„ „ „
Medicines ..... Foreign States .	461	15	11	330	5	6	647	4	4	59 do. & cwt. 80 2 3			152	10	10	cwt. 91 0 8		172 16 7
Metal, wrought & unwrought—																		
Brass & Copper Great Britain ..	6133	8	2	4699	11	„	2581	14	10	1 do. & cwt. 408 2 12			1947	12	2	„ 110 0 13		654 9 „
Brass & Copper British Colonies	2288	10	2	3838	4	„	3223	11	„	3 do. & cwt. 163 3 20			3343	18	4	„ 418 0 16 and 8 pieces		3038 17 5
Brass & Copper Foreign States..	846	14	„	1290	7	„	1480	6	10	1 do. 811 ps. & cwt. 113 „ 15			716	17	1	„ 32 2 4		228 „ 5
Iron. .... Great Britain ..	12358	8	2	16949	18	3	5239	14	„	1279 1-10 tons & 600 packages			10596	2	4	Tons 883 15 1 18		9670 10 1
Iron. .... British Colonies	1505	9	10	2008	5	11	1140	3	7	8 packages & cwt. 1143 „ 7			588	15	3	„ 33 15 1 20		350 2 8
Iron. .... Foreign States ..	280	2	4	158	17	5	191	10	11	cwt. 153 1 14			121	1	9	„ 13 18 2 2		85 10 7
Iron. .... United States—	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—			„	„	„	—		6 7 „
Lead and Tin... Great Britain ..	900	2	8	1227	5	11	669	10	„	335 packages, 50 pieces & cwt. 7¾			557	8	4	341 packages 114 sheets tons 9 12 2		622 13 9
Lead and Tin... British Colonies	448	12	1	257	11	7	28	2	4	cwt. 27 2 1, 23 packages & 5092 ps.			93	11	11	7 „ 14 „ 1 2 1		180 4 1
Lead and Tin... Foreign States .	19	1	7	60	19	6	14	1	3	„ 16 2 12, 2 do. & 225 ps.			32	„	5	cwt. 1 2 5 and 75 pieces		4 3 6
Spelter & Steel . Great Britain ..	637	4	7	1239	10	„	626	8	5	114 packages & cwt. 350 2 24			338	„	4	„ 309 1 27		282 2 1
Spelter & Steel . British Colonies	129	16	2	259	8	2	4	1	3	1 piece —			„	„	6	„ 52 1 13		47 2 6
Spelter & Steel . Foreign States..	24	4	9	20	7	3	„	„	6	cwt. 5 3 0			7	9	4	„ 10 3 15		9 15 11
Miscellaneous.. Great Britain ..	14355	13	4	12500	„	4	10380	„	„	—			10406	10	„	—		19504 „ „
Miscellaneous.. British Colonies	12625	19	9	12070	„	6	10009	„	„	—			10080	„	11	—		19750 10 „
Miscellaneous.. Foreign States..	1140	2	6	1203	„	„	2993	13	5	—			1200	„	„	—		2869 11 1
Miscellaneous.. United States ..	55	16	„	370	9	3	6	14	„	—			„	„	„	—		„ 10 „
Musical and Scientific instruments..... Great Britain ..	867	4	3	806	„	3	1106	15	3	24 packages			466	15	6	25 packages and 5 pieces		741 12 2
Musical and Scientific instruments..... British Colonies	79	17	4	31	11	4	25	15	„	24 do. —			385	14	6	41 „ 1 „		415 5 2
Musical and Scientific instruments..... Foreign States..	192	5	8	303	14	2	150	3	2	1 do. & 6 pieces			3	2	„	1 „ 1 „		„ 3 6
Oilman Stores.. Great Britain ..	4067	14	2	4597	13	10	4472	12	11	1979 do. & cwt. 1 3 16			3690	17	11	961 „ 32 bottles		2706 3 5
Oilman Stores.. British Colonies	307	16	8	84	2	3	93	13	5	117 do. 5¼ doz. & 35 gallons			427	19	10	15 „ 36½ doz. bottles		92 6 7
Oilman Stores.. United States ..	26	8	„	115	8	4	2	„	„	—			„	„	„	—		„ „ „
Oilman Stores.. Foreign States..	2	6	„	203	18	2	4	13	„	—			„	„	„	3 packages and 3 lbs.		19 16 2
Opium..... British Colonies	1918	10	„	993	15	„	2438	12	6	1071 lbs. —			1606	10	„	cwt. 40 1 2		5141 „ „
Opium..... Foreign States..	87	„	„	288	„	„	846	„	„	1469½ lbs. —			2204	8	9	„ 1 1 17		231 17 6
Painters Colours Great Britain ..	722	„	„	1119	1	„	529	11	8	343 packages, cwt. 183 & 532 galls.			804	2	10	472 packages		1513 10 7
Painters Colours British Colonies	38	10	5	23	16	11	13	2	10	138 do. „ 10 0 24 & 25 do.			60	11	9	39 „ and cwt. 14 3 16 and 2 pieces		95 8 11
Painters Colours Foreign States .	2	2	9	50	17	6	15	13	„	1 do. & „ „ 2 10			2	11	1	6 lbs —		„ 2 4
Pepper & Spices British Colonies	934	16	8	540	9	7	1692	8	1	35 do. & „ 945 1 7			1147	8	8	37 packages and cwt. 749 0 5		1199 9 3
Pepper & Spices Foreign States .	76	10	2	50	17	7	34	18	11	cwt. 65 3 11			83	1	1	cwt. 2 1 22		7 14 10
Perfumery..... Great Britain ..	1000	8	10	1471	14	9	1319	4	5	198 packages & 3 doz.			1411	11	1	123 packages		1159 9 1
Perfumery..... British Colonies	373	18	4	319	10	9	104	3	6	75 do. & 35¼ do.			172	6	8	84 „ and cwt. 17 0 18 & 2 dozens		215 „ „
Perfumery..... Foreign States..	111	10	9	144	„	4	34	15	„	6 do. & cwt. 1 2 10			25	17	2	cwt. 3 1 27		6 6 5
Prints & Pictures Great Britain ..	264	7	2	523	16	6	538	2	6	25 do.			379	„	3	13 packages and 24 pieces		259 17 „
Prints & Pictures British Colonies	108	16	3	106	18	1	66	16	8	37 do. & 43¼ dozs.			159	15	5	30 „ 33 „		204 12 11
Prints & Pictures Foreign States.	69	17	1	171	14	„	56	17	„	No. 4			„	2	„	2 „		20 „ „
Provision..... Great Britain ..	539	9	1	94	3	8	34	3	1	2 packages & cwt. 3 2 24 —			14	8	11	115 „ and cwt. 1 2 16 & 3 pieces		322 7 2
Provision..... British Colonies	1868	9	9	969	2	5	766	13	9	—			1181	1	„	378 „ 46 2 1 & 256 „		1559 10 5
Provision..... Foreign States..	124	1	„	66	14	11	80	19	8	12 do. 110 bushels & cwt 49¼			85	2	2	135 „ 0 1 16 & 108 „		107 17 5
Saddlery ..... Great Britain ..	1639	6	10	2495	2	9	2101	1	9	46 do. & 73 ps.			1561	12	8	54 „		1514 10 7
Saddlery ..... British Colonies	178	6	5	126	19	„	79	5	10	19 do. & 67 „			200	9	6	33 „		212 18 „
Saddlery ..... Foreign States..	63	11	9	211	9	7	160	„	6	15 pieces —			„	8	„	—		„ „ „
Salt..... Great Britain ..	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—			„	„	„	—		13 6 3
Salt-petre ..... British Colonies	618	12	„	505	1	6	428	3	8	27 packages & cwt. 1076 2 21			895	12	6	2 packages and cwt. 1284 2 20		1172 „ 10
Salt-petre ..... Foreign States..	9	9	10	8	10	„	2	4	4	cwt. 6 1 4			8	3	7	—		„ „ „

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.	
Salt-provision.. Great Britain ..	1447	6	5	1373	8	6	198	1	9	64 packages & cwt. 5 1 3	239	15	11	78 packages & cwt. 40 2 13	275	2	9	
Salt-provision.. British Colonies	671	11	3	191	13	6	125	11	1	50 do.	249	4	4	4 „ „ 19 2 3	50	8	8	
Salt-provision.. United States ..	62	10	„	51	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	
Seeds of sorts.. Great Britain ..	„	„	„	3	14	4	42	„	„	5 do.	4	10	11	—	„	„	„	
Seeds of sorts.. British Colonies	4090	2	8	2381	5	11	3189	10	7	10 do. & cwt. 15227 3 23	4287	3	11	cwt. 17358 1 7 & 6 packages	4648	19	2	
Seeds of sorts.. Foreign States..	„	18	„	25	8	3	83	14	6	—	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	
Shells-Sea..... British Colonies	9	17	„	6	2	11	5	2	6	17 do. cwt. 6 1 12 & No. 4500	14	9	6	28 packages & cwt. 1 2 6	14	13	8	
Shells-Sea..... Foreign States..	18	9	11	45	17	9	60	4	4	1 do. „ 3 3 1 544 —	11	13	2	143 „ „ 4525 1 16 & 4218 No. —	8267	7	9	
Tortoise. British Colonies	589	16	8	912	3	11	522	13	6	1 do. & 341 lbs.	359	3	9	960 lbs.	956	1	„	
Tortoise. Foreign States..	805	10	6	611	16	3	626	„	6	610½ lbs. —	399	7	„	1441	1210	7	5	
Silk & Woollen Great Britain ..	1274	6	6	2613	12	1	1148	11	11	99 packages & 671 ps.	3510	11	10	96 packages & 155 pieces	3378	5	6	
Silk & Woollen British Colonies	5445	3	8	6777	8	9	4707	3	6	517 do. 2915 pieces	6600	12	10	416 „ 2359 „	5536	14	8	
Silk & Woollen Foreign States..	404	15	„	141	6	10	293	3	11	11 pieces —	12	7	„	1 „ 36 „	48	6	„	
Skins of sorts... Great Britain...	12	10	„	12	„	„	34	17	„	—	„	„	„	17 „	376	11	6	
Skins of sorts... British Colonies	445	13	2	402	2	11	349	9	2	1 package 175 scores & ps. 4168	588	14	9	8 „ 7 bundles 1193 scores & 248 ps.—	5	4	10	
Spirits and Li- Great Britain...	6505	12	4	5996	17	8	5275	11	8	14031 gallons	5612	10	4	10587 gallons	4234	16	„	
Spirits and Li- British Colonies	202	16	8	410	2	8	165	14	4	2699 do.	1004	5	8	2891⅓ „	1157	17	8	
queurs ..... Foreign States..	81	12	„	550	4	8	221	10	„	141 do.	62	18	8	1097¼ „	438	18	8	
Stationery ..... Great Britain..	3582	12	3	3190	13	1	3705	14	11	377 packages	4831	16	8	306 packages	5850	12	2	
Stationery ..... British Colonies	541	14	5	257	6	11	385	13	„	295 do.	735	17	2	142 „ & 4 pieces	717	19	1	
Stationery ..... Foreign States..	329	7	7	409	1	8	553	6	5	13 do.	30	„	9	26 „	10	19	7	
Sugar of sorts .. Great Britain ..	970	16	6	1937	6	„	795	12	6	cwt. 508 2 13	1424	2	5	cwt. 924 3 17	2472	2	7	
Sugar of sorts .. British Colonies	7440	4	8	8687	16	8	6153	13	7	8662 1 10	13369	15	2	7982 0 19	12397	14	„	
Tea ..... Great Britain ..	467	8	6	749	14	„	534	19	„	7067½ —	1012	11	11	2689 lbs.	470	11	6	
Tea ..... British Colonies	4941	5	9	2213	16	3	5016	5	9	25126¼	4405	17	6	21198⅓ lbs.	3709	13	11	
Tea ..... Foreign States..	145	15	6	16	9	„	624	2	„	2567½	449	6	3	418 lbs.	73	4	9	
Terra Japonica. British Colonies	964	7	3	255	9	3	372	14	4	5 packages & cwt. 900 0 3	854	9	5	49 packages & cwt. 1514 0 0	1837	5	6	
Terra Japonica. Foreign States..	31	19	2	9	6	5	13	2	„	cwt. 3 0 13	3	6	4	cwt. 1 1 17	1	2	6	
Thread & Wool, Great Britain..	522	1	5	2186	10	„	1141	8	8	117 packages cwt. 7 0 7 —	1574	8	6	106 packages	1696	14	2	
Thread & Wool, British Colonies	2897	6	10	2111	19	9	1717	16	10	116 do. cwt. 496 0 25 —	1356	3	1	1900 „ & cwt. 633 3 3	9336	13	1	
Cotton ..... Foreign States..	532	8	5	1058	18	5	1574	5	3	12 do.	885	7	9	cwt. 372 0 19	1452	7	11	
Tobacco of sorts Great Britain..	111	8	5	92	13	9	12	4	„	cwt. 45 1 14	45	7	6	127 0 4	682	10	8	
Tobacco of sorts British Colonies	382	1	7	293	18	6	535	5	3	649 1 1	502	„	2	415 2 5	1716	14	9	
Tobacco of sorts Foreign States..	5	7	3	1	6	10	2	10	3	„ „ 2	„	„	3	17 2 5	32	16	9	
Tobacco of sorts United States..	78	15	9	56	18	6	„	„	„	84 3 20	84	19	1	—	„	„	„	
Umbrellas..... Great Britain..	354	6	4	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	5 packages and No. 6	156	4	„	
Umbrellas..... British Colonies	3213	13	8	2011	11	2	2131	5	9	882 packages & 796 No. —	3233	14	7	499 „ „ 558	1771	7	5	
Umbrellas..... Foreign States..	116	4	„	84	„	2	517	15	4	145 do. 188	817	4	1	37 „ „ 2261	301	7	11	
Wax..... British Colonies	„	„	„	43	8	„	1	12	9	1 do. 568 lbs.	31	13	10	cwt. 2 2 9	16	4	7	
Wax..... Foreign States..	„	„	„	„	13	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	0 2 10	3	6	„	
Wines ..... Great Britain...	15930	10	8	20478	10	7	18238	10	1	36325½ gallons	20202	13	10	27657¼ gallons	15880	8	7	
Wines ..... British Colonies	1912	5	2	604	1	10	683	5	6	2942 do.	2088	17	8	1228 „	735	7	2	
Wines ..... Foreign States..	1287	12	„	2694	18	„	208	9	9	321½ do.	299	12	6	329 „	288	6	8	
Wood Timber.. Great Britain...	204	4	10	89	6	7	21	14	„	—	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	
Wood Timber.. British Colonies	982	7	5	467	5	3	1242	7	„	131 bdls. & 1878 pieces —	486	6	4	4077 pieces & cwt. 80	1471	5	5	
Wood Timber.. United States...	121	16	11	133	6	5	„	„	„	98 pieces —	22	11	„	„	„	„	„	
Wood Timber.. Foreign States..	11	11	„	8	7	6	25	14	8	—	„	„	„	472 pieces	100	9	5	
TOTAL £ ——	928809	„	9	1030296	9	3	993,482	19	11		1,000,474	„	10		1,181,142	1	1	
Add Specie.....	418740	12	7	458381	14	8	1004,967	17	4		641,695	4	„		2,346,040	6	5	
TOTAL £——	1347549	13	4	1488678	3	11	1998,450	17	3		1,642,169	4	10		3,527,182	7	6	

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RETURN of EXPORTS of the ISLAND of CEYLON for 1849, 1850, 1851, 1852, and 1853, compiled from the Returns of the several Collectors of Sea Customs.

		Total value of Articles Exported in each Year.															
		1849			1850			1851			*Quantities.*	1852			*Quantities.*	1853		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
Arrack	Great Britain	2	3	9	„	„	„	„	„	„	31 gallons —	2	6	6	50 gallons	2	14	„
	British Colonies	3779	13	2	2864	12	7	6227	17	1	59429 do. —	3284	19	5	39364½ gallons	1744	„	„
	Foreign States	127	10	„	10	„	„	41	12	6	97½ do. —	2	18	1	1368 „	80	„	„
Arrecanuts	British Colonies	30506	5	9	41822	6	4	52657	9	8	69840 3 18 —	51015	12	5	cwt. 56229 3 14	43744	3	4
	Foreign States	1239	8	6	1084	6	„	2148	15	3	1953 3 0 —	1214	12	6	„ 3166 2 0	2689	6	„
Beecho de Mar and Fish	British Colonies	365	16	10	190	19	„	620	8	5	898 2 2 —	372	8	8	„ 1021 2 4	697	19	1
	Foreign States	„	„	„	163	13	9	„	„	„	93 3 „ —	63	11	„	„ 407 2 0	166	5	„
Books, printed	Great Britain	„	„	„	10	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	—	„	„	„
	British Colonies	137	11	„	128	15	„	6	15	„	3 packages & 1 volume —	42	10	„	11 packages	152	„	„
	Foreign States	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	—	„	„	„
Cardamoms and Pepper	Great Britain	454	1	6	938	8	„	771	„	5	4 do. & cwt. 97 1 9 —	580	9	4	cwt. 107 2 21	477	1	3
	British Colonies	„	7	6	5	15	„	„	„	„	10 do. —	9	3	„	„ 205 0 25	326	15	„
	Foreign States	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	„ 12 0 0	11	10	„
	United States	„	„	„	16	13	4	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	—	„	„	„
Casks	British Colonies	„	„	„	180	„	„	„	„	„	No. 1772 —	1682	„	„	4236 —	4889	2	„
Chanks	British Colonies	2898	8	6	1049	19	6	3052	13	9	2762445 —	4793	2	4	4329411 & cwt. 8 2 0 —	9958	16	11
	Foreign States	175	6	„	23	8	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	14000	2	2	„
Cinnamon	Great Britain	73084	„	„	58740	6	„	50041	16	„	401476 lbs. —	40147	12	„	907179	49010	9	„
	British Colonies	293	10	„	729	18	„	607	6	„	4066½ „ —	406	13	„	23686	949	10	9
	Foreign States	„	2	6	4715	10	„	200	„	„	17924 „ —	1792	8	„	25415	1080	„	„
	United States	„	11	„	300	„	„	„	„	„	4200 „ —	420	„	„	—	„	„	„
Cocoanuts	Great Britain	114	4	„	23	12	„	27	„	„	112950 „ —	181	11	„	104291	206	6	6
	British Colonies	5761	12	7	5883	17	5	6596	11	7	3749090 „ —	5580	13	2	1549013	2420	4	1
	Foreign States	237	11	11	72	14	3	137	12	6	181872 „ —	239	2	5	62900	95	10	„
Kernels	Great Britain	404	16	„	464	„	„	230	„	„	cwt. 100 „ „	50	„	„	—	„	„	„
	British Colonies	7312	„	8	3531	7	5	8950	9	7	„ 35577 1 26	11862	4	11	cwt. 30001 1 24	12378	2	11
	Foreign States	102	8	7	170	8	„	497	17	„	„ 3496 3 0	1412	17	8	„ 7576 1 9	3805	„	11
Shells	British Colonies	227	16	„	314	3	„	454	19	„	2395 packages —	811	3	„	12710 and 1156 bundles —	408	19	„
	Foreign States	119	4	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	—	„	„	„	51 packages —	5	10	„
Coffee	Great Britain	534450	11	11	559936	2	9	636806	16	8	cwt. 279602 1 5 —	544725	3	8	cwt. 283830 3 21 —	575102	10	6
	British Colonies	3659	17	4	9310	15	8	12553	17	10	„ 13295 2 23 —	19431	8	11	„ 21315 2 15 —	38817	17	4
	Foreign States	7212	8	„	39355	4	5	26637	7	9	„ 66347 3 22 —	105231	4	9	„ 23824 3 5 —	41681	15	6
	United States	„	„	„	660	„	„	12158	12	6	„ 13133 3 15 —	23505	15	6	—	„	„	„
Coir	Great Britain	7899	15	4	15268	10	6	12711	15	11	„ 21110 2 3 —	10654	13	1	„ 28145 0 10 —	15844	10	7
	British Colonies	4141	7	10	4298	2	1	4657	14	2	„ 15685 0 0 & 103 packages	7347	15	2	„ 13069 3 5 —	6244	10	„
	Foreign States	253	2	9	246	7	„	528	13	„	„ 417 0 7 —	237	18	„	„ 6409 2 15 —	892	19	6
	United States	„	„	„	622	10	4	387	1	„	„ 345 0 14 —	155	19	8	—	„	„	„
Curiosities	Great Britain	399	5	„	821	15	„	309	13	„	49 packages —	354	1	„	76 packages —	522	10	„
	British Colonies	423	17	6	17	15	„	5	9	6	1 do. —	1	10	„	5 „ —	8	„	„
	Foreign States	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	1 do. —	5	„	„	—	„	„	„
Dammer and Rosin	British Colonies	127	18	„	113	6	11	20	11	„	cwt. 83 2 4 —	34	16	1	cwt. 252 3 26 —	110	17	2
	Foreign States	„	12	6	7	16	„	„	10	„	—	„	„	„	—	„	„	„
Furniture	Great Britain	487	„	„	863	5	„	264	5	„	56 packages & 6 pieces —	254	10	„	30 packages and 17 pieces —	363	1	„
	British Colonies	389	7	2	464	13	„	269	18	8	2780 pieces —	333	4	„	45 „ 1705 „ 19½ doz. —	706	19	7
	Foreign States	49	18	1	44	9	„	79	15	9	2762 do. —	71	18	8	181 „ 1831 „ —	44	9	1
	United States	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	1 package —	8	„	„	—	„	„	„
Grain & Seeds	Great Britain	„	„	„	245	„	„	6	„	„	—	„	„	„	—	„	„	„
	British Colonies	90	„	6	245	17	6	293	7	9	2 packages & 285 bushl. —	38	10	„	300 bushels cwt. 5 & 107 packages —	118	10	10
	Foreign States	143	10	6	134	15	6	436	18	9	28 do. & 50107 do. —	20	11	„	8 „ „ 1 55 „ —	9	3	6
Horns	Great Britain	2103	1	6	7498	17	„	3175	7	9	cwt. 1653 2 19 —	2159	17	1	cwt. 3772 2 20 — —	5981	14	3
	British Colonies	2	13	7	„	„	„	32	19	1	„ 51 0 17 —	34	5	„	— — —	„	„	„
	United States	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„ 14 2 11 —	14	5	„	— — —	„	„	„

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		Total value of Articles Exported in each Year.									*Quantities.*			*Quantities.*								
		1849			1850			1851				1852				1853							
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.					
Horns	Foreign States	„	„	„	1	10	„	„	„	„	cwt. 140 3 17	65	3	„	„								
Ivory	Great Britain	56	6	„	45	10	„	40	„	„	490½ lbs.	71	12	„	848 lbs.								
	British Colonies	25	7	6	22	10	„	175	5	„	174 „ & 1 piece	35	„	„	363 ., 2 packages and 116								
	Foreign States	„	„	„	8	3	„	„	10	„	60 „	3	4	„	50 „								
Jewellery & precious Stones	Great Britain	881	„	„	102	„	„	50	„	„	— — —	„	„	„	1 package								
	British Colonies	300	15	„	514	11	„	36	„	„	4 packages & 2 pieces	140	10	„	3 „ & 167 pieces								
	Foreign States	„	„	„	„	„	„	1150	„	„	2 „ 8 doz.	23	8	„	— — —								
Jaggery	British Colonies	873	3	6	323	11	„	391	13	2	cwt. 1047 2 0	278	9	6	cwt. 1478 & No. 68000 baskets								
	Foreign States	1064	10	3	796	12	6	1186	1	„	„ 4467 1 12	993	1	5	„ 3602 „ 258000 „								
Live Stock	Great Britain	„	„	„	„	„	„	75	„	„	— — —	„	„	„	3 —								
	British Colonies	470	5	„	484	„	„	620	8	„	331 —	1139	8	„	243 —								
	Foreign States	6	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	2 —	2	„	„	25 —								
	United States	„	„	„	„	„	„	1100	„	„	— — —	„	„	„	— —								
Miscellaneous	Great Britain	1417	11	„	1564	„	1	1242	16	3	— — —	1300	10	„	—								
	British Colonies	2860	10	9	1591	5	„	2302	4	1	— — —	2100	7	„	—								
	Foreign States	251	„	5	409	„	„	2938	14	2	— — —	835	„	11	—								
	United States	1020	6	3	642	19	2																
Oils. Cinnamon and Clove. Citronella	Great Britain	3554	6	6	3090	19	8	281	„	„	— — —	„	„	„	—								
	British Colonies	40	15	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	2739 oz.	213	15	7	4828 oz.								
	Great Britain	468	18	9	3343	14	10	3741	10	6	— — —	„	„	„	13 „								
Cocoanut	Great Britain	33372	3	8	32837	10	„	28996	3	9	131780 oz.	2805	15	„	725009 oz.								
	British Colonies	1338	„	3	601	9	„	1891	17	6	716026 galls.	55557	12	8	1017986 gallons								
	Foreign States	120	10	9	414	10	„	556	8	4	17385 galls. & 4 packages	1213	3	2	110791/2 „								
	United States	„	„	„	1181	18	„	„	„	„	15599 „	1272	17	„	4908 „								
Plumbago	Great Britain	330	4	6	3833	„	8	5255	8	3	18 „	1	11	6	— — —								
	British Colonies	„	„	„	„	10	„	1			cwt. 11954 3 9	2387	18	6	cwt. 19570 3 9								
	United States	„	„	„	„	„	„	351	14	„	„ 24 1 9	5	„	„	„ 6 3 16								
Provision	Great Britain	„	„	„	„	10	„	„	„	„	„ 544 1 3	123	1	6	— — —								
	British Colonies	90	11	1	83	5	2	60	18	8	— — —	„	„	„	— — —								
	Foreign States	23	18	6	17	1	9	20	4	4	51 packages 32 galls. & 1205 ps.	47	15	6	128 packages 62 gallons & cwt. 209								
Rum	Great Britain	827	10	„	1039	10	„	644	10	6	45 „ cwt. 52 & 53 gallons	14	1	„	31 „ cwt. 83 3								
	British Colonies	136	„	„	9	17	„	10	„	„	— — —	„	„	„	— — —								
Salt	British Colonies	1407	10	8	362	15	4	245	„	3	7242 gallons	413	5	6	95951/2 gallons								
	Foreign States	32	5	10	29	„	„	„	„	„	28850 bushels	480	16	8	13350 bushels								
Sugar and Molasses	Great Britain	2861	5	„	2918	10	„	1635	4	„	— — —	„	„	„	— — —								
	British Colonies	„	„	„	11	„	„	„	„	„	cwt. 1814 0 7	1275	18	„	cwt. 2942 2 17								
	Foreign States	„	„	„	29	10	„	„	„	„	— — —	„	„	„	„ 10 „ 5								
Tobacco	Great Britain	148	„	„	23	„	„	533	„	„	„ 1 2 0	3	14	„	„ 9 3 24								
	British Colonies	19916	10	8	20698	1	„	17489	3	4	— — —	„	„	„	— — —								
	Foreign States	2235	5	„	„	„	„	3400	2	„	„ 18558 0 0	17276	6	8	„ 19530 0 14								
Wax	Great Britain	599	16	3	368	„	„	259	4	„	„ 3396 3 18	3254	12	8	„ 3422 „ „								
	British Colonies	31	7	3	5	12	„	96	2	„	— — —	„	„	„	„ 19 1 4								
	Foreign States	19	„	„	„	„	„	„	2	3	„ 4 1 8	23	9	„	— — —								
Wood-dye	Great Britain	1639	8	6	1359	11	„	212	18	„	„ 1 „ „	4	„	„	— — —								
	British Colonies	365	5	6	232	18	„	9	19	11	„ 1006 1 14	336	3	9	„ „ „ 24								
	Foreign States	30	15	„	53	9	6	17	„	„	„ 736 2 0	232	10	„	„ 174 „ „								
	United States	„	„	„	120	5	4	19	1	„	„ 325 2 13	101	7	4	„ 640 3 „								
Wood, Various	Great Britain	3316	10	4	1932	3	11	1121	13	„	„ 327 3 9	100	8	„	„ 192 3 „								
	British Colonies	9003	18	10	8286	18	3	11793	17	7	— — —	1172	17	„	— — —								
	Foreign States	1238	1	5	2329	12	6	3957	13	9	„ 6587 0 23	8296	18	1	„ 5261 3 4								
	United States	„	„	„	20	3	„	120	„	„	„ 7805 3 18 368 bdls. & 711294 ps.	4088	12	2	„ 8300 „ „ & 26063 bdls. & 586478 ps.								
											„ 12064 2 17 26 „ „ 129063 ps.	121	„	„	„ 3584 3 15								
											„ 584 0 24				— — —								
TOTAL £		781,554	12	2	855829	13	11	938637	18	11		948,400	9	1		979,874	1	8					
Add Specie		108,908	15	6	272612	11	4	727311	16	3		197,739	7	1		1,824,619	9	1					
Imports re-exported		315,686	1	„	119014	2	11	139927	10	11		204,529	18	10		457,071	16	9					
TOTAL £		1,206,149	8	8	1246956	8	2	1805877	6	1		1,350,669	15	„		3,261,565	7	6					

Customs,
Colombo, 4th July, *1853*.

C. VANE,
Deputy Collector.

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VALUE OF IMPORTS into the ISLAND of CEYLON for the year ended 5th January 1854, according to the declared value thereof.

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES OF RATED GOODS.	VALUE. £	s.	d.
Apparel Wearing ...	... ...	2,496	7	8
Arms and Ammunition				
Guns	.. 37	27	15	0
Gunpowder ..	.. 35,180 lbs.	1,759	0	0
Pistols	.. 22	12	0	0
Shots	Cwt. 187 2 23	232	13	0
Asphalte	.. ..	649	18	0
Beads	.. ..	1,106	15	6
Beef and Pork ..	Cwt. 60 0 16	125	7	1
Biscuit	.. ..	818	11	3
Boats and Canoes ..	.. ..	734	9	0
Books and Maps Printed ..	.. ..	3,657	16	1
Boots and Shoes ..	.. ..	754	0	3
Butter	Cwt. 103 0 6	527	6	9
Casks and Shooks ..	.. ..	829	5	6
Cheese	Cwt. 215 0 22	1,121	0	6
Clocks and Watches ..	.. ..	758	18	3
Coal and Coke ..	.. ..	70,376	13	3
Coir Stuffs	.. ..	538	17	0
Confectionery and Preserves	.. ..	2,250	12	1
Copperah .. .	.. ..	2,448	16	1
Cotton Manufactures ..	.. ..	228,226	0	1
Cotton Thread ..	.. ..	4,906	13	4
Cotton Wool . ..	.. ..	7,579	1	10
Couries and Shells ..	.. ..	8,282	1	5
Curry Stuffs	.. ..	11,619	11	3
Cutlery and Hardware ..	.. ..	7,636	18	5
Earthenware	.. ..	6,827	3	2
Fish dried and salted ..	Cwt. 31,001 3 19	30,999	17	6
Flour (wheat).. ..	do. 236 3 6	237	6	10
Fullers' Earth.. ..	.. ..	852	7	11
Furniture	.. ..	1,579	0	0
Ghee	.. ..	1,799	10	2
Glass manufactures ..	.. .	3,302	17	3
Grain—Gram.. .	Bushels 70,186¼	14,037	8	2
Paddy ..	do. 627,516½	52,313	12	10
Peas	do. 11,427¼	2,285	9	0
Rice	do. 2,574,579¾	462,868	19	11
Wheat ..	do. 50,815½	10,163	2	0
Gunnies and Twine ..	.. ..	12,766	10	0
Haberdashery and Millinery	.. ..	19,579	1	10
Hams and Bacon ..	Cwt. 264 1 14¼	1,383	14	5
Hats and Bonnets ..	.. ..	1,459	19	10
Hops	Cwt. 55 1 26	350	10	0

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DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES OF RATED GOODS.	VALUE.		
		£	s.	d.
Horns of sorts		1,196	3	11
Hosiery		603	16	10
Instruments Musical, ...		937	15	0
Jewellery		1,126	4	8
Live Stock—Horses		4,675	9	0
Neat Cattle		18,885	17	0
Sheep and Goats		3,524	8	6
Machinery, Millwork and Tools		5,927	1	2
Malt ..	102 casks and 640 bushels	564	0	0
Malt Liquor	102,860 5-12 Galls.	14,083	8	1
Manure		1,779	11	9
Marine Stores		2,005	3	11
Medicine		4,532	18	10
Metal, wrought & unwrought—Brass ware ..		1,717	13	8
Brass sheets ..	Cwt. 37 3 8	226	14	3
Copper		1,150	16	2
Copperware		573	13	9
Copper sheathing and Nails ..	56lbs.	3	0	0
Iron		5,004	3	9
do. Bar ..	Tons 67 6 3 1	538	9	0
do. Corrugated ..	28 0 1 13	420	5	5
do. Galvanized ..	44 5 2 5	1,231	11	8
do. Hoop	30 bundles and 248 13 0 12	2,492	18	0
do. Rod ..	10 14 3 8	85	18	7
do. Sheet ..	40 16 1 8	408	3	3
Plated ware ..	.. ..	817	11	8
Spelter ..	Tons 8 2 2 8	137	4	9
Steel ..	10 10 0 9	201	15	9
Zinc ..	2 7 3 25	54	0	1
Oil—Cocoanut ..	. ..	4,048	1	8
Vegetable ..	.. ..	2,740	19	7
Oilmanstores	.. ..	2,818	6	2
Opium	.. 4,668lbs.	5,372	17	6
Painters Colours ..	.. ..	1,609	1	10
Palmira Jaggery ..	Cwt. 2,017 0 23	1,008	12	1
Pepper	.. ..	509	0	2
Perfumery	.. ..	1,380	15	6
Poonack	.. ..	2,870	11	0
Precious Stones ..	. ..	2,875	10	0
Provisions	.. ..	1,989	15	0
Saddlery and Harness ..	.. ..	1,727	8	7
Sal Ammoniac .	.. ..	788	0	6
Salt Petre ..	2 packages and Cwt. 1,300 3 12	1,185	7	1
Salt Provision.. ..	.. ..	900	4	4
Seeds of sorts.. ..	.. ..	4,648	19	2
Silk Manufactures ..	.. ..	4,777	16	5
Skins of sorts	.. ..	723	9	8

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Description of Articles.	Quantities of Rated Goods.	Value.		
		£	s.	d.
Soap	.. ..	1,127	13	6
Specie and Bullion ..	.. ..	2,346,040	6	5
Spices	.. ..	698	3	11
Spirits, Brandy ..	Gallons 10,348 5-6	4,140	17	0
Gin	do. 3,824 1/6	1,529	13	4
Liqueurs ..	do. 200 3/4	80	6	0
Rum	do. 27	10	16	0
Whiskey ..	do. 175	70	0	0
Stationery	.. ..	10,364	2	10
Sugar Refined ..	Cwt. 1,261 1 3	3,401	3	0
do. Unrefined ..	„ 7,645 3 5	11,468	13	7
Tanks, iron	. ..	897	19	0
Tar	.. 95 barrels	95	0	0
Tea	24,305 5-6 lbs.	4,253	10	2
Terra Japonica .	.. ..	1,838	18	0
Tobacco Cigars	6,228lbs. and 378,003 No.	3,241	18	11
Manufactured ..	Cwt. 317 2 3	1,981	9	10
Unmanufactured ..	„ 242 2 11	450	12	4
Snuff ..	.. 161 lbs.	56	7	6
Tortoise shell ..	.. ..	2,166	8	5
Umbrellas	.. ..	2,228	19	4
Wines, Cape .. .	282 Gallons	56	8	0
French ..	2,761 5-6 „	2,539	6	8
Ginger ..	103 „	25	8	0
Madeira ..	2,492 1/2 „	1,266	7	6
Marsella ..	46 „	9	4	0
Portugal ..	7,038 3/4 „	3,980	0	0
Rhenish ..	376 „	376	0	0
Spanish ..	16,009 1/2 „	8,631	16	3
Teneriffe ..	98 „	19	12	0
Wood, Timber	.. ..	1,567	19	10
Woollens	.. ..	4,486	14	9
All other articles ..	.. ..	8,916	17	4
	£—	3,527,182	7	6

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GOODS EXPORTED from the ISLAND of CEYLON for the year ended 5th January 1854.

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES OF RATED GOODS.	VALUE. £	s.	d.
Arrecanuts	Cwt. 59,396 1 14	46,433	9	4
Beecho de Maar	„ 936 3 16	738	5	0
Casks	No. 4,236	4,889	2	0
Chanks	Cwt. 8½ & No. 4,343,411	9,960	18	11
Cinnamon	956,280lbs.	51,039	19	9
Cocoanuts	No. 1,716,204	2,722	0	7
Cocoanut Kernels	Cwt. 37,577 3 5	16,183	3	10
Coir Rope	„ 47,624 2 2	22,982	0	1
Curiosities	81 packages	530	10	0
Coffee	Cwt. 328,971 1 13	655,602	3	4
Furniture	256 packages, 19½ doz., and 3,553 pieces	1,014	9	8
Horns	Cwt. 3,772 2 20	5,981	14	3
Jaggery	„ 5,080, and 326,000	1,450	11	0
Madder	„ 1,113 1 3	1,042	11	8
Oil, Cocoanut	1,033,974 gallons	95,990	4	9
Vegetable	6 pkgs., 612⅓ galls., and 735,968½ oz.	3,012	4	9
Plumbago	Cwt. 19,577 2 25	4,057	4	6
Stones, Precious	3 packages	1,405	0	0
Spirits—Arrack	40,782½ gallons	1,826	14	0
Rum	9,595½ „	682	3	0
Sugar	Cwt. 2,962 2 18	3,036	0	0
Tobaco	„ 22,952 0 14	29,505	6	4
Wood, Dye	„ 1,007 2 0	309	15	3
Timber	„ 17,146 2 14; 26,063 bundles, and 603,680 pieces	12,869	12	0
All other Goods		6,608	17	8
Ceylon Produce		979,874	1	8
Imports Re-exported & Ex the Warehouse	Goods £457,071 16 9; Specie 1,824,619 9 1	2,281,691	5	10
	Total £—	3,261,565	7	6

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A SUMMARY VIEW OF THE TRADE AND NAVIGATION OF THE ISLAND OF CEYLON IN THE YEAR ENDED 5TH JANUARY 1854

		Vessels Inwards. No.	Vessels Inwards. Tons	Vessels Outwards No.	Vessels Outwards Tons	Customs Duties on Imports & Exports	Total Revenue of Customs including Port Dues, W. H. Rent &c.	Total Value of Imports	Total Value of Exports
WESTERN PROVINCE,	Colombo	1,079	106.044	1,091	109,925	89,635 5 7	91,874 7 10	980,860 16 10	970,991 3 2
	Negombo	102	3,445	97	3,055	2,764 19 10	2,815 0 0	18,229 16 11	475 13 1
	Calpentyn	63	2,098	77	3,187	1,151 12 4	1,212 2 8	8,258 3 0	7,859 6 5
	Pantura	16	902	8	434	494 19 0	506 15 6	3,251 8 6	395 19 6
	Caltura	39	2,245	32	1,853	1,595 0 5	1,630 17 6	9,899 9 11	3,066 0 9
	Barberyn	65	3,647	60	3,305	2,123 14 7	2,175 3 6	13,760 14 3	2,362 14 9
SOUTHERN PROVINCE,	Galle	329	148,348	304	114,428	10,107 4 7	11,879 3 0	2,359,272 3 4	2,213,112 17 8
	Ballepitty Modere	40	2,083	31	1,548	1,345 6 7	1,373 2 11	8,666 16 10	1,918 11 9
	Dodandowe	21	1,004	15	736	642 19 9	688 16 5	4,109 11 10	1,088 6 1
	Belligam	7	623	6	572	331 14 7	362 18 8	4,101 3 5	457 2 6
	Gandurah	6	486	11	656	129 8 4	168 3 8	832 11 2	1,448 10 8
NORTHERN PROVINCE,	Jaffna	357	15,448	372	15,524	5,481 15 0	5,724 10 3½	46,747 18 10	42,010 0 4
	Point Pedro	162	6,449	193	8,127	2,957 3 8	3,092 1 9	22.825 5 7	10,690 16 1
	Manaar	215	7,491	231	8,344	379 7 5	482 16 3	10,993 9 5	1,477 5 10
	Tallemanaar	345	14,571	343	14,020	70 9 10	197 7 9	12,767 1 0	659 15 7
	Kangesantorre	53	1,853	45	1,374	512 12 2	541 2 10½	5,622 19 3	664 6 3
EASTERN PROVINCE,	Trincomalie	48	4,224	42	3,667	1,795 13 11	1,880 2 1	14,060 0 10	1,837 15 4
	Batticaloa	4	147	8	369	221 16 5	256 6 8	2,922 16 7	1,049 1 9
Total		2,951	321,108	2,966	321,124	121,741 4 0	126,860 19 4	3,527,182 7 6	3,261,565 7 6
Value of Specie and Bullion imported and exported,	IMPORTED, Colombo						159,100 0 0		
	Galle						2,182,747 2 5		
	Jaffna						4,193 4 0		
	Trincomalie						0 0 0	2,346,040 6 5	
	EXPORTED, Colombo						29,526 3 0		
	Galle						1,795,093 6 1		1,824,619 9 1
	Trincomalie								
	Value of Goods £						... ...	1,181,142 1 1	1,436,945 18 5

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Statement of Coffee, Cinnamon, Cocoanut Oil & Coir, Exported, being the produce and manufacture of Ceylon, from the year ended 5th Jan. 1837 *to the year ended 5th Jan.* 1854.

Year ending 5th January.	Coffee Quantity.	Cinnamon Quantity.	Cocoanut-Oil Quantity.	Coir Quantity.
1837	Cwt. 60,329	lbs. 724,364	409,012 Gals.	Cwt. 10,482 2 8 & 17,923 Coils & Bdls.
1838	34,164	558,110	638,677 Gals. & 8,976 Casks	36,737 3 4
1839	49,541	398,198	242,680 do. 284 do.	24,895 3 14
1840	41,863	596,592¼	357,543 do.	22,195 1 0
1841	68,206	389,373¼	475,742 do.	23,440 3 24
1842	80,584	317,919½	321,966 do.	21,643 1 2
1843	119,805	121,145½	475,967 do.	26,130 3 26
1844	94,847	662,704	726,206 do.	22,187 1 7
1845	133,957	1,057,841	443,301 do.	25,977 0 25
1846	178,603	408,211	282,186 do.	19,540 2 0
1847	173,892	401,656	123,981 do.	23,197 2 19
1848	293,221	447,369½	197,851 do.	23,520 7 2
1849	280,010	491,687¾	311,526 do. & 8 Casks	25,199 2 24 & 10 Bdls.
1850	373,593	733,781¾	513,279 do.	28,422 0 5 & 2 do.
1851	278,473	644,857	407,960 do.	39,886 1 23 & 120 do.
1852	349,957	508,491	443,699 do.	37,512 0 12
1853	372,379	427,666½	749,028 do. & 4 Casks	37,557 2 24 & 130 do.
1854	328,971	956,280	1,033,974 do.	47,624 2 2

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Summary View of the Trade and Navigation of Ceylon from the Years ended the 5th January 1838 to 5th January 1854.

Exclusive of the Coasting Trade which is considerable.

Year	Vessels Inwards		Vessels Outwards		Customs Duties on Imports & Exports Exclusive of Cinnamon.			Cinnamon Duties.			Total Revenue Collected by the Customs.			Value of Imports.			Value of Exports.		
	No.	Tonnage	No.	Tonnage															
1838	1495	81345	1480	83,563	58037	15	6½	75437	7	9¼	137563	19	6¼	595,888	9	„	326,860	3	2
1839	1594	96292	1692	95,667	59318	17	5½	45384	13	4¼	107538	5	10½	547,501	10	2	292,315	13	10¾
1840	1804	105,838	1743	100,166	60317	7	3½	70201	5	6¾	134010	4	7½	661,920	8	2	375,608	„	9
1841	1849	103,005	1871	104,015	70668	6	9½	43611	8	1½	116943	6	11	733,512	17	10¾	409,947	8	9½
1842	1883	109,606	1998	109,187	74102	12	0½	33110	1	„	110250	8	2½	679,670	2	5¾	368,383	3	1¾
1843	2077	130,327	1975	124,692	77404	10	8½	12124	11	„	92745	„	5¾	794,758	9	7½	463,445	7	10½
1844	2279	140,853	2334	139,622	86612	1	0¾	35486	9	„	125760	14	6½	1034,531	13	6¾	421,083	3	4
1845	2886	169,128	2892	162,953	98406	12	3¾	53197	1	„	155096	6	2½	1367,504	3	10	582,367	3	11
1846	3281	196,364	3207	189,815	124,049	9	3	20410	11	„	148519	13	4	1494,824	7	11¾	583,100	3	5½
1847	2969	211,946	2966	212,424	117,612	5	6	20082	16	„	141771	7	10	1372,701	16	10	679,286	6	„
1848	3111	228,738	3062	228,998	123,415	7	2¾	22368	9	6	150326	4	4½	1421,737	13	6	961,118	19	7
1849	2731	229,155	2761	233,842	105,408	16	7	9481	7	3	119365	15	7	1235,443	14	1	1448,901	3	8
1850	2725	234,135	2732	232,836	102,358	16	9	12229	13	11	119192	2	7¼	1347,549	13	1	1206,149	8	8
1851	2888	242,264	2837	248,398	114,021	17	6½	10747	12	4	129456	17	11	1,488,678	3	11	1246,956	8	2
1852	3043	251,597	3050	252,744	110,965	12	6	8474	17	„	123842	5	9	1,998,450	17	3	1,805,877	6	1
1853	2785	271,532	2765	265,285	112,922	5	11	7127	15	6	124905	10	5¼	1,642,169	4	10	1,350,669	15	„
1854	2951	321,108	2966	321,124	120,455	5	4	1285	18	8	126860	19	4	3,527,182	7	6	3,261,565	7	6

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STATEMENT shewing the REVENUE of the CUSTOMS, from 1850 to 1854.

PORTS.	Year ended 5th January 1850.	Year ended 5th January 1851
WESTERN PROVINCE.		
Colombo	84,554 5 10	95,187 10 4
Negombo	3,051 1 7	2,981 12 3
Calpentyn	1,291 19 9	1,253 3 5
Pantura	1,181 1 4	1,046 0 8
Caltura	1,248 6 7	1,572 10 4
Barberyn	1,902 6 10	2,083 6 2
Total..	93,229 0 11	104,124 3 2
SOUTHERN PROVINCE.		
Galle	10,244 7 3	10,433 2 9
Dodandoewe	550 15 10	661 0 10
Ballepitty Modere	1,084 15 9	1,334 18 7
Belligam	309 3 9	175 12 8
Gandurah	110 19 9	133 2 11½
Total..	12,300 2 4	12,737 17 9½
NORTHERN PROVINCE.		
Jaffna	5,441 0 9¾	5,360 19 5½
Point Pedro	4,734 15 3½	3,737 7 3½
Manar	818 7 9	563 18 11
Tallemanaar	3 6 10	112 0 1
Kangesantorre	0 0 0	0 0 0
Total..	10,997 10 8¼	9,774 5 9
EASTERN PROVINCE.		
Trincomalie	2,529 0 2¼	2,478 4 6½
Batticaloa	136 8 5¾	342 6 8
Total..	2,665 8 8	2,820 11 2½
Total of the Island..	119,192 2 7¼	129,456 17 11

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DEPARTMENT at the Several Ports in the Island of Ceylon

Year ended 5th January 1852	Year ended 5th January 1853	Year ended 5th January 1854.
85,501 2 9	90,608 2 9	91,874 7 10
3,219 11 6	3,537 5 2	2,815 0 0
1,346 0 5	1,124 18 6	1,212 2 8
836 2 10	471 12 5	506 15 6
1,327 13 11	1,033 18 4	1,630 17 6
2,106 6 0	1,621 3 5	2,175 3 6
94,336 17 5	98,397 0 7	100,214 7 0
9,972 12 3	9,964 9 11	11,879 3 0
617 9 9	637 14 7	688 16 5
1,098 10 10	1,104 6 8	1,373 2 11
435 3 9	184 14 1	362 18 8
296 6 8	269 17 5	168 3 8
12,420 3 3	12,161 2 8	14,472 4 8
8,585 17 9	5,763 19 6¼	5,724 10 3½
4,074 13 1	3,634 18 11	3,092 1 9
1,078 18 3	787 13 2	482 16 3
134 19 10	153 1 5	197 7 9
0 0 0	420 13 0	541 2 10½
13,874 8 11	10,760 6 0¼	10,037 18 11
2,893 4 1	3,270 16 9	1,880 2 1
317 12 1	316 4 5	256 6 8
3,210 16 2	3,587 1 2	2,136 8 9
123,842 5 9	124,905 10 5¼	126,860 19 4

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Coffee Crops of 1849, 1850, 1851, 1852, 1853 *and* 1854.

Coffee Exported from Ceylon	Quantity	Declared value
	Cwt.	£ s. d.
Between 11th Oct. 1848 and 10th Oct. 1849	337,526 1 10	456,663 10 8
From 11th Oct. 1849 to 10th Oct. 1850	322,760 1 26	657,118 18 0
From 11th Oct. 1850 to 10th Oct. 1851	287,911 3 7	591,816 2 0
From 11th Oct. 1851 to 10th Oct. 1852	408,007 3 16	751,861 9 11
From 11th Oct. 1852 to 10th Oct. 1853	322,994 2 20	637,595 4 9
From 11th Oct. 1853 to 10th Oct. 1854	434,086 2 5	902,751 16 2

BONDED WAREHOUSES—COLOMBO.

When approved.	*Merchant's Name*	*Where situated.*	*Description of Goods.*
1853			
Nov.... 4	Armitage Brothers	Princes Street Fort. ...	Goods the produce of the East Indies.
1854.			
Feb..... 11	C. Shand & Co.....	Slave Island	Ditto.
July .. 27	Wilson Ritchie & Co.	Hulfsdorp, St. Sebastian & PrinceStreet Fort...	Ditto. & Casks and Staves.
Oct..... 5	Armitage Brothers.	Cochikade	Ditto.

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1853			
Aug....12	P. Torrance	Hospital Street.....	Jaggery.
Aug....19	Peninsular&Oriental Steam Navigation Company	The Warehouse on the left hand side of the entrance to the Fort ..	General Goods.

RETURN of numbers and tonnage of square rigged Vessels and Dhonies belonging to Ceylon on the 31st December 1853.

	Square rigged Vessels.	Tonnage.	Dhonies.	Tonnage.
Western Province....	30	1,811	174	9,443
Northern Province ..	12	651	90	3,390
Eastern Province	10	494	13	292
Southern Province ..	2	134	180	7,122
Total..	54	3,090	457	20,247

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Statement of all COFFEE *exported from Colombo during the Seasons* 1851—2, 1852—3, *and* 1853—4, *shewing approximately the proportions shipped during the North-East and the South-West Monsoons, and the per centage of those proportions upon the entire quantities for each Season.*

DESCRIPTION OF COFFEE.	1851—2. Cwts.	1852—3. Cwts.	1853—4. Cwts.	Per Centage of Coffee shipped during the North-East and South-West Monsoons.					
				1851—2.		1852—3.		1853—4.	
				N. E. monsoon	S. W. monsoon	N. E. monsoon	S. W. monsoon	N. E. monsoon	S. W. monsoon
Plantation—shipped from the 10th October to the 5th April	193128	131225	148649	76·26		63·44		49·11	
Plantation—shipped from the 5th April to the 10th October	60128	75619	154006		23·74		36·56		50·89
Native—shipped from the 10th October to the 5th April	207987	69567	85748	73·91		66·59		68·36	
Native—shipped from the 5th April to the 10th October	38127	34907	39676		26·09		32·41		31·64
Plantation and Native—shipped from the 10th October to the 5th April	301115	200792	234397	75·40		64·50		54·76	
Plantation and Native—shipped from the 5th April to the 10th October	98255	110526	193682		24·60		35·50		45·24
Plantation and Native—shipped in each season ...	399370	311318	428079						

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Return of Shipping of the Island of Ceylon from the year ended 5th January 1837 *to* 1854.

INWARDS.

Year ending 5th Jan.	Great Britain.		British Colonies.		Foreign States.		Total.	
	Ships.	Tons.	Ships.	Tons.	Ships.	Tons.	Ships.	Tons.
1837	20	6659	1163	55010	148	9563	1331	71232
1838	20	7343	1290	60257	185	13745	1495	81345
1839	13	4013	1436	83679	145	8600	1594	96292
1840	17	6162	1496	81367	291	18309	1804	105838
1841	14	5142	1578	82567	257	15296	1849	103005
1842	25	8243	1574	84901	284	16462	1883	109606
1843	41	12941	1736	100250	300	17136	2077	130327
1844	43	14553	1955	103712	281	22588	2279	140853
1845	39	13275	3603	132245	244	23608	2886	169128
1846	49	18882	2974	157024	258	20458	3281	196364
1847	68	24976	2709	173316	192	13654	2969	211946
1848	57	24579	2829	172943	125	30216	3111	228738
1849	62	25603	2450	172674	219	30878	2731	229155
1850	60	22456	2426	179530	230	32149	2725	234135
1851	64	24287	2573	186594	251	31383	2888	242264
1852	53	20129	2759	198348	231	33120	3403	251597
1853	61	27344	2458	217003	266	27185	2785	271532
1854	98	49897	2599	250386	254	20825	2951	321108
				OUTWARDS.				
1837	26	7856	1100	56238	74	4369	1200	68463
1838	35	12413	1250	61737	195	9413	1480	83563
1839	24	7721	1572	82374	96	5572	1692	95667
1840	21	8537	1616	85353	106	6276	1743	100166
1841	26	8761	1700	87913	145	7341	1871	104015
1842	28	10382	1827	90452	143	8353	1998	109187
1845	44	13850	1777	100839	154	10003	1975	124692
1844	43	13366	2184	119206	107	7050	2334	139622
1845	48	16288	2696	137989	148	8676	2892	162953
1846	47	18061	2982	161175	178	10579	3207	189815
1847	50	17980	2759	184768	157	9676	2966	212424
1848	73	26966	2820	178818	169	23214	3062	228998
1849	69	25790	2518	181856	173	26196	2761	233842
1850	74	29030	2484	179079	174	24727	2732	232836
1851	77	29274	2584	193419	176	25705	2837	248398
1852	70	29859	2773	193824	207	29061	3050	252744
1853	73	32546	2483	212851	211	19888	2767	265285
1854	96	44532	2660	261235	210	15357	2966	321124

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Arrivals and Departures of Labourers during the year 1854.

1854.	Arrivals *Colombo*			Arrivals *Manaar and Tallemanaar*			Total Arrivals			Departures *Colombo*			Departures *Manaar and Tallemanaar*			Total Departures.		
	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children
January..	1,124	540	460	395	26	7	1,519	566	467	790	169	138	2,075	109	20	2,865	278	158
February..	408	216	306	704	41	9	1,112	257	315	375	59	37	2,268	123	41	2,643	182	78
March....	647	302	207	866	65	10	1,513	367	217	570	72	56	3,994	192	54	4,564	264	110
April	662	419	411	4,190	201	92	4,852	620	503	420	6	8	1,949	95	5	2,369	101	13
May	686	342	306	6,185	357	72	6,871	699	378	476	10	6	1,178	56	9	1,654	66	15
June	757	364	143	15,504	1,190	265	16,261	1,554	408	586	4	3	393	33	0	979	37	3
July	1,183	864	194	5,590	599	142	6,773	1,463	336	1,030	24	8	141	8	0	1,171	32	8
August ..	848	672	413	4,206	492	93	5,054	1,164	506	762	73	3	266	19	2	1,028	92	5
September.	575	561	525	4,522	424	71	5,097	985	596	522	107	21	51	0	0	573	107	21
October ..	790	433	205	1,556	165	26	2,346	598	231	676	92	21	237	9	0	913	101	21
November.	527	304	196	808	55	16	1,335	359	212	435	30	19	542	11	0	977	41	19
December.	515	271	120	766	73	12	1,281	374	132	376	87	22	1,528	34	6	1,094	121	28
Total—	8,722	5,288	3,486	45,272	3,718	815	54,014	9,006	4,301	7,018	733	342	14,622	689	137	21,640	1,422	479

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RETURN OF CROWN LANDS SOLD DURING THE YEAR 1853.

Provinces and Districts.	Number of Sales under 100 Acres.		Number of Sales above 100 Acres.		Total Number of Sales.	Total Number of Acres.	Average Price per Acre.
	Number of Sales.	Number of Acres.	Number of Sales.	Number of Acres.			£ s. d.
1853.							
Western Province	11	76 0 19	—	— —	11	76 0 19	6 17 1
Southern Province	4	41 3 24	—	— —	4	41 3 24	1 11 3
Central Province							
Kandy	8	1 2 6 80/100	—	— —			16 11 8 3/4
Udapalata	4	213 0 39	—	— —			1 0 0 1/4
	—	— —	3	466 3 32			1 13 8
Upper Doombera	1	27 3 28	—	— —			1 0 9
	—	— —	2	306 1 4			1 1 9 3/4
Upper Bulatgamme	—	— —	2	401 1 15			1 0 0 1/2
Yattinuwera	2	42 2 2	—	— —	45	2087 1 1 83/100	1 0 0
		8 2 14		— —			1 0 0
Matelle	—	— —	2	294 2 4			1 0 0
Gampola	1	0 0 31	—	— —			31 19 4 1/2
			—	— —			1 13 2 1/4
Nuwera Ellia	18	88 1 32 4/100	1	228 2 14			1 0 1
	1	7 0 0	—	— —			0 0 0
Total...	50	500 2 15	10	1704 2 29	60	2205 1 4 83/100	

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Salt.

Revised Regulations respecting the sale of Salt in the Northern Province.

THE following revised Rules regarding the issue of Salt for exportation from the Northern Province are published for general information.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, W. C. GIBSON,
Colombo, 31st January 1855. *Actg. Col. Secy.*

THE Salt will be shipped by and at the expense of Government if desired. The shipment of a cargo however cannot be guaranteed at any time out of the regular season for shipment as herein stated, and in respect to any such shipment that may be made, the expenses actually incurred in respect to it must be paid in addition to the stated price of the Salt when shipped by the purchaser.

If desired boats can be held in readiness from a fixed day to be named by the purchaser, at an extra cost of 1*s.* 4½*d.* per boat per day. In the absence of such arrangement, it will take from 1 to 3 days, according to the size of the vessel, to collect the full number of boats required, though shipment can commonly be commenced in all cases with a smaller number of boats within 36 hours of arrival.

The Salt will be sold both at Jaffna and at Colombo. As regards sales at Jaffna, the persons in charge of the Stores at Tondemanar and Jaffna, are authorised to attend at once to applications, and to make arrangements for shipment, without the delay of reference to the Government Agent. The sales at Colombo will be made as hitherto by the Colonial Secretary.

The quantity of Salt available will be published monthly or oftener as alterations in the quantity available may render necessary.

No Salt can be secured to any party in anticipation of the quantity that may become available.

Of the quantity that may be stated to be available, 500 Tons (when there is that quantity) will be reserved at all times to be at the disposal of the Colonial Secretary at Colombo. With reference therefore to any application that may be made at Jaffna when the stock on hand may not exceed 500 Tons, it would be necessary to ascertain that it had not been sold at Colombo, before such application could be complied with; and as regards the purchase at Colombo of any quantity exceeding 500 Tons, there would be no guarantee as to the excess above that quantity being available on the arrival of the vessel.

By His Excellency's Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, W. C. GIBSON,
Colombo, 31st January, 1855. *Actg. Col. Secy.*

*** Charts compiled from the Surveys of the officers of the Indian Navy shewing the anchorage, and copies of sailing directions prepared by them in connection therewith, may be seen at the Offices of the Chief Secretary to Government at Fort William, the Colonial Secretary at Mauritius, and the Masters Attendant of Colombo and Galle.

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RETURN OF THE POPULATION, AND OF THE MARRIAGES, BIRTHS, AND DEATHS, IN 1853.

PROVINCES.	Area in Square Miles.	WHITES.		COLOURED POPULATION.		TOTAL.		Aliens and resident Strangers, not included in preceding Columns	Population to the Square Mile.	Persons employed in			Births	Marriages	Deaths
		Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females			Agriculture.	Manufactures	Commerce			
Western.	3,820	1,479	1,382	288,869	252,655	290,348	254,037	5,281	143.89	131869	23,957	23,587	16,311	5,993	8,650
North-Western	3,362	53	46	96,553	92,413	96,606	92,459	2,851	57.08	83,349	1.666	2,365	3,681	2,184	3283
Southern	2,147	209	212	155,512	139,589	155,721	139,801	631	137.93	70,860	16,242	15,335	6,680	1,896	6239
Eastern	4,753	605	586	42,940	38,157	43,545	38,743	1,058	17.53	28,145	2,950	1,258	3,597	751	2059
Northern	5,427	402	397	156,033	149,597	156,435	149,994	473	56.55		4,533	5,921	5,921	1,583	4688
Central	5,191	392	163	119,314	99,320	119,706	99,483	21,616	46.46	153803	5,880	12,106	12,106	1,790	3457
Total *(exclusive of Military.)*	24,700	3,140	12,786	859,221	771,731	862,361	774,517	31,910	67.56	468026	55,228	60,572	60,572	14,197	28,376
MILITARY OFFICERS WITH THEIR FAMILIES															
Western.	3,820	831	185	1,058	589	1889	774	„	.69	„	„	„	37	62	90
North-Western	3,362	2	1	35	27	37	28	„	.01	„	„	„	2	3	8
Southern	2,147	133	24	424	253	557	277	„	.38	„	„	„	25	16	22
Eastern..	4,753	214	25	250	172	464	197	„	.13	„	„	„	26	4	21
Northern	5,427	4	3	160	149	164	152	„	.05	„	„	„	9	1	10
Central..	5,191	720	78	563	366	1283	444	„	.33	„	„	„	65	22	89
Total Military..	24,700	1,904	316	2,490	1,556	4394	1,872	„	·25	„	„	„	164	108	240
Grand Total. ..	24,700	5,044	3,102	861,711	773,287	866,755	776,389	31,910	67.81	468026	55,228	60,572	40,533	14,305	28,616

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List of Government Schools, shewing their Classification, the average number of pupils on the lists, and the average number of pupils in daily attendance.

	No. of Pupils on List.	*in daily attend:*
Superior Schools.		
Colombo Academy. . .	56	49
Colombo Central School .	86	75
Native Normal Institution		
Normal Students .	21	20
Pupils . .	30	25
	193	169
Elementary Schools.		
St. Thomas.	65	50
Colombo	67	64
Grand-Pass.	48	44
Slave Island	41	37
Negombo	35	25
Galle	40	32
Matura	55	40
Kandy	60	46
Caltura	52	44
	463	382
Mixed Schools.		
Wellicadde Jail		
Singhalese . . . }	127	109
Tamil. . . . . }		
Marandahn	34	32
Colpetty	36	31
Kandane	63	52
Pantura.	58	55
Wadua	29	24
Avisawelle	30	10
Ratnapoora.	21	10
Kaigalle	15	10
Bentotte	49	43
Hickodde	21	16
Galle	123	63
Belligam	23	16
Trincomalie	69	46
Kandy	85	67
Matelle.	32	24
Gampola	16	12
Rickiligaskedde . . .	13	6
Hadenia	25	16
Napane	19	18
Nildandehena	14	10
Nawelepitiye	24	14
Bolaepay	18	11
Akurambodde (Matelle) .	22	8
Badulla.	33	24
Nuwera Ellia	22	17
Madampe	34	24
Chilaw	40	29
Calpentyn	22	17
Putlam	15	10
Kurnegalle	35	24
Mullativoe	37	25
Manaar.	28	11
	1232	879

	No. of Pupils on List.	*in daily attend.*
Female Superior Schools.		
Female Seminary . . .	78	63
Colombo	56	52
Kandy	45	32
Galle	70	39
	249	186
Female Mixed Schools.		
Borella	37	21
Colpetty	31	22
Pantura	39	32
Caltura.	55	35
Trincomalie No. 1 . .	6	4
Do. No. 2 . .	13	6
Do. *Tamil* . .	20	13
Jaffna	42	30
	243	163
Vernacular Female Schools.		
Welewatte	27	13
Deulpitiye	30	19
Battacatra	22	11
Kottawy	48	23
Vidagamme	60	36
Desaster Caltura . . .	56	46
	243	148
Vernacular Boys Schools.		
Payagalle	80	41
Barbaryn	69	43
Hangwelle	29	11
Seedua	53	39
Dehewelle	50	33
Paliagodde	66	28
Watelle	28	21
Badaragama	42	20
Mattacooly	85	28
Milagria	51	37
Kohillewatte	40	13
Slave Island	41	29
Dandogam	64	48
Katane	49	21
Minuangodde	36	21
Weweldenia	30	10
Dodangodde	26	19
Horogalla	19	7
Attadia.	34	24
Calany	46	26
Kottawy	47	24
Ballangodde	14	5
Aknimene	21	13
Dondra.	33	16
Badulla Tamil	28	22
Do. Singhalese. . .	32	24

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	No. of Pupils on List.	in daily attend:
Doomaldenia	69	51
Putlam Tamil	27	16
Calpentyn Tamil . . .	38	24
	1247	714
Jaffna Grant Schools.		
Church Mission . £150	180	158
American Do. . £200	567	371
Wesleyan do. . £150	251	204
Roman Catholics . £150	864	571
	1862	1304
	131	

Recapitulation.

	No. of Pupils on List.	in daily attend:
8 Superior schools .	193	169
9 Elementary schools .	463	382
33 Mixed schools . .	1232	879
4 Superior Female schools	249	180
8 English Female schools .	243	163
6 Vern: Female schools .	243	148
29 Vern: Boys schools .	1247	714
39 Jaffna Grant schools .	1862	1304
	5732	3939

LIST OF JAFFNA GRANT SCHOOLS PER RETURN OF 30TH JUNE 1854.

Boys	On List	Av: Atten:	On List.	Av: Attend.
American Mission.				
1 Chavagacherry (English Central School) . .	26	21		
2 Tallepally (English)	47	38		
3 Mallagam (English)	38	25		
4 Batticotta (English)	42	39		
5 Caradwe	55	31		
6 Narandany	53	32		
7 Manepy	59	44		
			320	20
Wesleyan Mission.				
1 Point Pedro Boys school	52	37		
2 Boys English Central School . . .	172	147		
			224	184
Church Mission.				
1 Kokuvil Boys English Day school . . .	5	9		
2 Nellore Boys English Day school . .	30	24		
3 Copay Boys English Day school . . .	25	22		
			60	55
Roman Catholic Mission.				
1 Jaffna Boys school	78	45		
16 Tamil Schools	742	492		
			820	537
			1424	1006
GIRLS.				
American Mission				
1 Manapey (English)	53	32		
2 Batticotta	44	32		
3 Pandateripo	35	34		
4 Tellepalle (Tamil)	79	18		
5 Chavagacherry (Central school) . . .	36	25		
			247	141
Wesleyan Mission.				
1 Mission House Girls English school . . .	27	20		
			27	20
Church Mission.				
1 Nellore Girls Boarding school . . .	71	65		
3 Copay Girls Day school	49	38		
			120	103
Roman Catholic Mission.				
1 Jaffna Girls school.	44	34		
			44	34
			438	298

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RETURN OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF SCHOOLS IN THE ISLAND, FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 1853.

PROVINCES.	STATIONS.	No. of Government Schools.	No. of Regimental Schools.	No. of Missionary Schools.						No. of Private Schools.	Total.
				Society for Propagation of Gospel.	Church Mission	Wesleyan Mission.	Baptist Mission	American Mission	Roman Catholic Mission.		
WESTERN	Colombo . .	47	7	23	31	32	28	0	6	292	500
	Pantura . . .	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0		
	Caltura . .	2	0	0	0	5	0	0	0		
	Barberyn . .	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Negombo . .	2	0	0	0	7	0	0	9		
	Ratnapoora. .	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Kaigalle	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Avishawelle. .	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
NORTH WESTERN	Putlam . .	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	71
	Chilaw . .	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0		
	Calpentyn . .	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Kurnegalle. .	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
SOUTHERN	Galle	5	0	0	17	7	0	0	0	2	43
	Bentotte	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Matura . . .	1	0	1	0	5	0	0	0		
	Belligam. . .	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0		
EASTERN. .	Trincomalie .	5	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	48	54
	Batticaloa . .	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0		
NORTHERN	Jaffna.	2	0	0	35	12	0	87	1	131	283
	Manar	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Anooradapora	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
CENTRAL. .	Kandy	6	4	0	9	0	7	0	0	278	317
	Matele	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Gampola. . . .	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Badulla . . .	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Nuwera Ellia.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Maturatta . .	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	TOTAL. .	100	12	28	92	87	35	87	16	811	1268

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METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

Extract from the Meteorological Observations for 1854, *at the Royal Engineer Observatory, Colombo.*

MONTHS.	Temperature of Air in the Shade.			Humidity of air (complete saturation being represented by 1000).			No. of inches of rain which fell in the month.	No. of days on which there was Thunder and Lightning.
	Max.	Min.	Average.	Max.	Min.	Average		
January* ...	86·2	70·7	84·2	·875	·590	·776	5·35	6
February ...	89·5	72·0	84·2	·883	·537	·782	1·78	5
March ...	87·2	72·9	85·3	·933	·666	·794	1·77	5
April† ...	88·0	74·7	86·4	·887	·743	·811	7·92	12
May‡ ...	87·2	74·1	84·4	·931	·749	·847	18·41	9
June§ ...	84·8	74·8	83·4	·896	·782	·834	4·62	—
July‖ ...	84·3	79·2	81·1	·918	·806	·869	5·3	—
August¶ ...	83·8	76·2	81·3	·940	·780	·860	9·18	—
September ...	84·0	78 6	81·7	·940	·777	·848	3·32	1
October** ...	83·9	76·5	81·2	·976	·783	·878	9·55	5
November ...	84·7	77·5	80·4	·936	·763	·864	10·18	8
December†† ...	83·9	72·5	80·1	·892	·642	·809	1·41	7
Max. for year...	89·5	79·2	86·4	·976	·806	·878	18·41	12
Min. do.	83·8	72·0	80·1	·875	·537	·776	1·41	0
Average do.	85 6	74·9	82·8	·917	·718	·830	6·56	4·8

* A hot and dry wind prevailed throughout this month, which was one of the most sickly seasons known:—Cholera appeared to a very great extent all over the Island.

† An intensely oppressive and most disagreeable month.

‡ A most terrific Thunder Storm broke over Colombo on the 22nd of this month: It lasted from 3 A.M., till 9 A.M., and was at the height of its fury at 6·30 A.M. A Barrack occupied by the Ceylon Rifles was struck by the Lightning, and 29 men within the room who were armed and accoutred were knocked down by the electric fluid; their rifles were much damaged and the men hurt, though none were killed; 40 other men were knocked down by the shock but not hurt. A violent Thunder Storm passed over Galle on the evening of the 16th instant; on which occasion the Ramparts were struck by Lightning and an extraordinary cavity was made close behind the retaining wall of the Ramparts; the hole was three feet in diameter, twenty feet deep, and two chambers, six feet in length branched out on each side at the bottom.

§ An exceedingly pleasant month.

‖ Second appearance of Cholera in Colombo, and which proved fatal in many cases within the Fort.

¶ Nearly four inches of rain fell on the 17th of this month.

** A remarkable drought prevailed in the North of the Island, there having not been any rain there, it was said, for a year.

†† The "Long shore" wind set in steadily this month.

ALLAN SIEVWRIGHT,
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EXPENDITURE ON ROADS.

Statement of Expenditure incurred on the Principal Roads of the Colony of Ceylon for the years 1848, 1849, 1850, 1851, 1852 *and* 1853.

Treasury or Govt. money.	1848			1849			1850			1851			1852			1853			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
New Roads	1788	19	7½	2110	0	4	198	19	7	1750	9	5	488	5	6	1250	0	0	7586	14	5½
Continuation of New Roads	6877	13	5	7911	5	0¼	3088	18	3¾	5119	9	11¾	12,281	14	5¾	—			35,279	1	2½
Repair and up-keep of Roads and Bridges	27,425	19	2¾	28,682	14	4½	21,598	19	4¾	28,156	10	7¼	24,167	0	6	35,696	0	1¼	165,727	4	2½
New Bridges	250	0	0	760	7	4	286	13	8¼	1383	7	7	299	16	10	1866	14	2½	4796	19	7¾
Total £	36,342	12	3¼	39,464	7	0¾	25,173	10	11¾	36,409	17	7	37,236	17	3¾	38,762	14	3¾	213,389	19	6¼
Road Ordinance money. (*under Ordinance No.* 8 *of* 1841.)																					
New Roads	—			—			—			—			—			—			—		
Continuation of New Roads	—			—			278	0	2¼	201	5	9	54	19	0	—			534	4	11¼
Repair and up-keep of Roads and Bridges	—			—			20,338	10	11½	19,519	15	9¾	17,896	18	8¾	17,662	19	4¼	75,417	4	10¼
New Bridges	—			—			—			—			—			—			—		
Total	—			—			20,616	11	1¾	19,721	1	6¾	17,951	17	8¾	17,662	19	4¼	75,952	9	9½
Total Treasury money	36,342	12	3¼	39,464	7	0¾	25,173	10	11¾	36,409	17	7	37,236	17	3¾	38,762	14	3¾	213,389	19	6¼
Grand Total	36,342	12	3¼	39,464	7	0¾	45,790	2	1½	56,130	19	1¾	55,188	15	0½	56,425	13	8	289,342	9	3¾

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Tables of Roads in the Island of Ceylon.

No. 1. Round the Island, from Colombo, Northward, and returning by the South.
No. 2. From Colombo to Kandy.
No. 3. From Colombo to Kandy by Kornegalle.
No. 4. From Colombo to Kandy by Yatteantotte and Gampola.
No. 5. From Colombo to Kandy by Ruanwelle and Ballapany.
No. 6. From Colombo to Badoola, by Ratnapoora and Ballangodde.
No. 7. From Colombo to Trincomalie by Kornegalle and Dambool.
No. 8. From Kandy to Trincomalie by Dambool.
No. 9. From Kandy to Jaffna. by Dambool.
No. 10. From Kandy to Badoola by Newera Ellia.
No. 11. From Kandy to Badoola by "Lower Road" through Gonegamwa.
No. 12. From Kandy to Badoola by Hewahette and Madoola.
No. 13. From Kandy to Putlam, by Kornegalle.
No. 14. From Kandy to Manaar and Talamanaar, by Dambool and the Central Road.
No. 15. From Badoola to Hambantotte.
No. 16. From Badoola to Batticaloa.
No. 17. From Anarajapoora to Putlam.
No. 18. From Anarajapoora to Trincomalie.
No. 19. From Anarajapoora to Arippo.
No. 20. From Negombo to Kornegalle, by Girioelle.
No. 21. From Negombo to the Kandy Road near Veangodde.
No. 22. From Galle to Baddegamma and Hickgodde.
No. 23. From Jaffna to Point Pedro.
No. 24. From Jaffna to Kangaisantorre.
No. 25. From Jaffna to Poonalle.
No. 26. From Jaffna to Vattacotta.
No. 27. From Point Pedro to Kodigama.
No. 28. From Point Pedro to Valvettytorre.
No. 29. From Manar to the Central Road at Vavonia Volan Colom.
No. 30. From Manaar to Trincomalie.
No. 31. From Kandy to Mulletivoe by Dambool and Mihintalle.

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Tables of Roads in the Island of Ceylon.

No. 1.—ROAD ROUND THE ISLAND, FROM COLOMBO, NORTHWARD, AND RETURNING BY THE SOUTH.

N.B.—The distances are measured from the Queen's House in the Fort of Colombo.

	Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Y*	*Total.* M.	F.	Y.	*Remarks.*
Good Car. Rd.	To the Bridge of Boats....	3	2	,,				
	— Jayelle.....	9	2	127				Rest House.
	— Negombo	10	3	93	23	,,	,,	Police Magistrate—Rest House—A road from hence through Veangodde to Kandy, 66½ miles, and one through Girioelle to Kornegalle—see Table 20.
	— MahaOya(TopoeFerry)	5	,,	,,	28	,,	,,	
	— Kirimettāné	6	,,	,,	34	,,	,,	
	— Bridge of Ging-Oya	4	2	,,	38	2	,,	
	— Nattande	1	,,	,,	39	2	,,	Rest House.
Carriage Road Heavy	— Bridge of Kaddoopitte-Oya	5	6	,,	45	,,	,,	
	— Madampé	,,	4	,,	45	4	,,	Populous Village.
	— Chilaw or Sülawé	7	4	,,	53	,,	,,	Fort—Rest House. District Judge's and Minor Courts.
	— Dedderoo-Oya(Ferry)..	2	,,	,,	55	,,	,,	
	— Bättooloo-Oya do. ..	10	2	,,	65	2	,,	Rest House.
	— Moondel.....	4	,,	,,	69	2	,,	Fishing Village left of Road.
	— Marrundamkoolle .. .	7	4	,,	76	6	,,	Rest House.
	— Putlam	8	,,	,,	84	6	,,	Fort—Government Agent of North Western Province and Police Magistrate's Court—Rest House—A road from hence through Kornegalle to Kandy, 85 miles—and to Anarajapoora, 15 miles—and water conveyance to Calpentyn—see Table 13.
Foot and Bridle Road only	— Mannativoe	3	,,	,,	87	6	,,	Small Village.
	— Karadipoovil.....	4	,,	,,	91	6	,,	Tappal Station.
	— Pereanagaville	7	,,	,,	98	6	,,	Do. do,
	— Pomparipo (the River so called)	4	4	,,	103	2	,,	
	— Pomparipo	4	4	,,	107	2	,,	Rest House beyond the River.
	— Mardode	8	6	,,	116	,,	,,	
	— Maritchicatty	7	6	,,	123	6	,,	Rest House beyond the River—boundary of the N. and N. W. Provinces.
	— Kallar Pagoda	7	5	10	131	3	110	
	— Kondatchie	5	,,	,,	136	3	110	Pearl Banks. —A road from hence through Anurajapoora—see Table 19.
	— Aripo	4	7	,,	141	2	110	Rest House.
	— Vangallé	8	,,	,,	149	2	110	Road branches off here to Manaar and Talemanar, 8 miles. Assistant Agent of Government—District Judge's Court, and minor Courts.
	— Mantotte Church	4	4	,,	153	6	110	Rest House.
	— Verteltivo	9	1	,,	162	7	110	
	— Illeppekadavé	5	7	,,	168	6	110	Rest House.
	— Pali-ar	6	2	,,	175	,,	110	
	— Polverāyenkadoo ..	8	6	,,	183	6	110	Rest House.
	— Vavaltongai	6	6	165	190	5	55	
	— Sembencoondu	5	4	55	196	1	110	
	— Poonēryn	5	2	55	201	3	165	
	— Kalmonai	13	7	110	215	3	55	Fort—Rest House. Boats to Colombo torre can generally be obtained here.
	— Colombo torre	3	2	,,	218	5	55	
	— Jaffna	3	,,	,,	221	5	55	Fort—Principal Station of Northern Province.—Government Agent District Judge and other minor Courts—Here you turn off to Point Pedro, 21 miles.
	— Savagacherry* .... [Good Carriage Road]	11	,,	,,	232	5	55	

* From Savagacherry to Velatalongkollai [or Pass Beshuter], there is another road by Kodigamo, &c., which is a good carriage road as far as Mogomalle, 9 miles from Savagacherry; thence 12 3-4 miles to Valatalongkollai, it is sandy and heavy. The road by Klaly along the side of the lake, is mostly over turf; it leads to Elephant Pass, which is 2 3-4 miles from Valatalongkollai, and at all times easily reached from Jaffna by water.

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No. 1.—Road round the Island, from Colombo, northward, and returning by the South—*(continued.)*

	Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Y.*	*Total.* M.	F.	Y.	*Remarks.*
Foot & Bridle Road only	To Klaly	6	4	,,	239	1	55	Rest House.
	— Pass Beshuter	16	,,	,,	255	1	55	Rest House.
	— Coondy Culom	15	,,	,,	270	1	55	Rest House.
	— Matelen	12	1	,,	282	2	55	
	— Moolativoo	10	5	55	292	7	110	Fort—Rest House—Assistant Government Agent Station, & Police Magistrate do.
	— Alembiel	8	5	,,	301	4	110	
	— Kokelay	15	1	,,	316	5	110	
	— Tirriā	11	6	55	328	3	165	
	— Cutchiavellè	8	3	,,	336	6	165	Rest House.
Car. R. Good	— Nilāvelle	13	1	100	350	,,	45	Rest House.
	— Salt River	4	6	,,	354	6	45	
	— Trincomalie (Government House)	3	3	110	358	1	155	Fort, Military Garrison. Government Agent Eastern Province, District Judge and Minor Courts.
Foot and Bridle Road only	— Tamblegam	15	2	,,	373	3	155	Village.
	— Kottéar	12	3	,,	385	6	155	do.
	— Tōpootorré	9	1	,,	394	7	155	do.
	— Anedivoo	13	3	195	408	3	130	do.
	— Virgel (River)	2	3	,,	410	6	130	Temple on left Bank.
	— Kaddiravallè	4	,,	,,	414	6	130	Village.
	— Pannitchancanie (River)	9	,,	,,	423	6	130	Tapal Station.
	— Karemome	10	,,	,,	433	6	130	do.
	— Vallechena (River)	10	,,	,,	443	6	130	Village.
	— Chittandie Kirdiripu	8	,,	,,	451	6	130	do.
	— Erraoor	5	,,	,,	456	6	130	do.
	— Batticaloa [Lake]	9	,,	,,	465	6	130	Fort, Assistant Government Agent,
	— Goorokalmadem	10	,,	,,	475	6	430	Village, District Judge and Minor
	— Periye Nielevanne	10	,,	,,	485	6	130	do. Courts, Road branches off
	— Nindaoor	9	,,	,,	494	6	130	do, to Badoola—see Table 16.
	— Karangkottetive	8	,,	,,	502	6	130	do.
	— Tircoil	9	,,	,,	511	6	130	Village.
	— Komārie	11	1	146	523	0	56	
	— Pattivilla	8	7	164	532	,,	,,	do.
	— Arrookgam	2	6	37	534	6	37	
	— Panoah	9	4	154	544	2	191	do.
	— Oohundamallè	8	5	55	553	,,	26	
	— Koombookan-ar	12	4	176	565	4	202	
	— Pot-ānè	7	7	175	573	4	157	Village.
	— Yallè	10	,,	172	583	5	109	do.
	— Paloottoopāne	11	2	183	595	,,	72	Fort.
	— Mahagam (River)	9	2	70	604	2	142	
	— Hambantotte	14	4	22	618	6	164	Fortified Post.
Carriage Road	— Wallavay (River)	8	3	30	627	1	194	
	— Rannè	10	7	195	638	1	169	Rest House.
	— Tangalle	8	7	62	647	1	11	Rest House.
	— Deekvella	10	7	33	658	0	44	Rest House.
	— Mātura	12	,,	33	670	,,	77	Fort, Rest House.
	— Belligam or Velligamma	11	,,	44	681	,,	111	Rest House.
	— Galle	16	6	126	697	7	17	Fort, Military Post—Government Agent South, Prov. District Judge and other Minor Courts.
	— Hiccode or Sèep Kaddu.	12	1	,,	710	,,	17	Rest House.
	— Amblangodda	7	,,	,,	717	,,	17	Rest House.
	— Kossgodda	6	,,	,,	723	,,	17	
	— Bentotte	8	6	,,	731	6	17	Rest House.
	— Barbareen	6	6	,,	738	4	17	
	— Caltura	5	4	,,	744	,,	17	Rest House.
	— Pantura	10	6	,,	754	6	17	Rest House
	— Galkissè (Mount Lavinia)	8	2	,,	763	,,	17	
	— Colombo	7	,,	,,	770	,,	17	Fort.

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No. 2.—ROAD FROM COLOMBO TO KANDY.

	Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Y.*	*Total.* M.	*Total.* F.	*Total.* Y.	*Remarks.*
Excellent Car: Road.	To the Bridge of Boats....	3	2	,,				
	— Mahara.....	5	1	,,	8	3	,,	Rest House on the right.
	— Kosrupe	6	5	,,	15	,,	,,	
	— Henneratgodde	1	7	,,	16	7	,,	Rest House on the left—Barrack on the right.
	— Kallegeddehaine.....	5	1	,,	22	,,	,,	
	— Veangodde	3	1	42	25	1	42	Rest House on the right.
	— Waiweldenia	4	6	178	30	,,	,,	
	— Ambepusse.....	6	5	17	36	5	17	Rest House on the left.
	— Ambanpittia.....	9	2	203	46	,,	,,	
	— Kaigalle	3	,,	,,	49	,,	,,	Station of Assistant Government Agent and Police Court.
	— Ootooankandé.....	8	4	207	54	4	207	Rest House on the right
	— Kadooganava	7	1	113	61	6	100	Rest House on the right.
	— Peradenia	6		67	68	,,	167	
	— Kandy	3	7	53	72	,,	,,	

Mail Coach Stations are.....Mahare ..... 8½ Miles,
Kosrupe 15
Kallegeddehaine ...22
Waiweldenia 30
Ambepusse 36½
Ballapane 44
Kandapaney 51
Hingool oya 57½
Illookwatte 64

No. 3.—ROAD FROM COLOMBO, TO KANDY, BY KORNEGALLE.

	Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Total.* M.	*Total.* F.	*Remarks.*
Good Carriage Road	From Colombo To Ambepoose—see Table No 2.	,,	,,	36	5	Rest House.
	— Allow	4	6	41	3	Ferry, Maha oya.
	— Polegahawelle	5	5	47	,,	Minor Road to Kaigalle on Right.
	— Hondella.....	3	,,	50	,,	
	— Awukanda.....	6	6	56	6	Road to Negombo via Girioelle on left.
	— Kornegalle.....	1	2	58	,,	Rest House, first House on left. Station of Assistant Agent of Government District Judge, &c.
	— Milowe	2	1	60	1	Trace of Road to Matelle on left.
	— Kospota oye	7	,,	67	1	Ford, rarely impassable River quickly subsides.
	— Illook welle	,,	4	67	5	Tappal Station.
	— Mettaboka.....	3	6	71	3	Toll Station.
	— Madewalletenne	2	2	73	5	Rest House on Right. Police Court &c.
	— Hadennia	3	,,	76	5	Bridle road to Bellacadoa and Matelle on left,
	— Mahavillaganga	5	,,	81	5	Ferry. [and to Peradenia on right.
	— Entrance Tunnel	1	4	83	1	Impassable road over hill.
	— Kandy.....	1	2	84	3	

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No. 4.—Road from Colombo to Kandy, by Yatteantotte and Gampola.

	Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Total.* *M.*	*F.*	*Remarks.*
Carriage Road.	From Colombo					
	To Kaddoowella	11	,,	,,	,,	
	— Hanwell	7	,,	18	,,	Rest House.
	— Avisawella	12	,,	30	,,	Rest House.
	— Carawanella	8	,,	38	,,	Ferry, Kalane Ganga, from the Right bank of River road branches off to Ruanwella 1½ miles to Ballapany 17¼ miles, see Table No. 5.
	— Yatteantotte	3	6	41	6	Cross the Wei oya, Ford in dry seasons, no Toll.
	— Kittoolgalle	12	,,	53	6	
	— Top of Pass Ginegat Heina	10	3	64	1	2230 feet above level of Sea, road branches off right to Estates.
	— Ambagamowa	1	5	65	6	
	— Newalpittia	6	,,	71	6	Rest House.
	— Gampola	10	4	82	2	Hotel.
	— Peradenia Bridge	8	4	90	6	Toll.
	— Kandy	4	,,	94	6	

No. 5.—Road from Colombo to Kandy by Ruanwelle and Ballapany.

Bridle Road.	From Colombo					
	To Carrawan ella, see Table No. 4.	38	,,	,,	,,	
	— Ruanwella	1	2	39	2	Old Ford, Rest House,
	— Rittagaha oya	2	4	41	6	Ferry.
	— Goorogodde oya	8	6	50	4	Ferry.
	— Kandy road near 45 Mile stone	4	6	55	2	
	— Kandy, see Table No. 2.	27	,,	82	2	

No. 6.—From Colombo to Badoola, by Ratnapoora and Ballangodde.

Carriage Road Good.	From Colombo					
	To Avisavella	30	,,	,,	,,	See Table No. 4, Rest House,
	— Minaripettia	15	,,	45	,,	Rest House to be provided.
Good Bridle Road in course of being made a Car. road.	— Kooroganga	2	6	47	6	River, very rapid when flooded. Temple close to road on left bank of stream.
	— Ratnapora	8	4	56	2	Station of Assistant Government Agent, District Judge, &c. &c. &c.
	— Pallamadula	12	6	69	,,	Important Village, accommodation always procurable.
	— Ballangodde	13	6	82	6	Rest House to be built.
Bridle Road.	— Kallopahene	14	,,	96	6	
	— Top Happootellepass	13	4	110	2	Rest House, Village some little distance,
	— Naa Oola	15	4	125	6	On the Badoola and Hambantotte line.
	— Baddoola	10	,,	135	6	

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No. 7.—From Colombo to Trincomalie by Kornegalle and Dambool.

	Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Total. M.*	*Total. F.*	*Remarks.*
Practicable for wheels in dry weather.	From Colombo					
	To Kornegalle	58	,,	,,	,,	See Table No. 3.
	— Dedro oya	5	2	63	2	Ford, there are two, the lower one best at all seasons.
	— Pallegola	6	2	69	4	Temple on right.
	— Diatura	6	,,	75	4	Ford, over Kimbulwane oya, Bazar.
	— Belligamwoe	4	,,	79	4	Top of small Pass.
	— Gallawella	2	4	82	,,	Large village right and left.
	— Kandy and Trincomalie high road	10	6	92	6	1 Mile to Dambool Rest House: to go to it turn to right on gaining the Kandy road.
	— Mirissegonoya	0	4	93	2	Ford generally impassable during heavy rains.
	— Innamallowe	3	2	96	4	Tappal station: Village and Tanks.
	— Oulandangama	6	5	103	1	Village and Tank.
	— Cabookgaha Ella	1	4	104	5	Sandy Ella in dry weather, but impassable during heavy rains.
	— Habbooreuna	1	1	105	6	Rest House, village &c.
	— Talbaddegalle	3	,,	108	6	Three wells.
	— Galla oya	6	5	115	3	Rest House right bank. Bad ford; sometimes impassable.
	— Nayapana pass	4	6	120	1	Tappal station Rest House
	— Allootweva oya	1	6	121	7	
	— Kandian Limits	8	4	130	3	
	— Gantallawa	4	1	134	4	Rest House
	— Palampota	14	5	149	1	Rest House
	— Trincomalie	10	5	159	6	

No. 8.—From Kandy to Trincomalie, by Dambool.

Good Car. Rd.	From Kandy					
	To Mahavillaganga	2	6	,,	,,	Ferry.
	— Top of Ballacaduapass	7	2	10	,,	Tappal station, Rest House.
	— Matella	6	2	16	2	Rest House, station of *Assistant Agent of* Government and Police Court.
	— Ratotte road	1	,,	17	2	Branches off to right.
Practicable for wheels in dry weather.	— Junction with Kornegalle Road	3	2	20	4	By the Yattewatte Pass, not yet passable for horses.
	— Cowdapal ella	3	4	24	,,	Tappal station: Bazar.
	— Nalande	6	4	30	4	Rest House and Tappal station.
	— Nalande oya	,,	6	31	2	River sometimes impassable.
	— Lenodora	6	2	37	4	Tappal station village $\frac{1}{4}$ mile distant on left.
	— Dambool oya	3	4	41	,,	Ford, sometimes impassable.
	— Dambool	4	,,	45	,,	Rest House, Tappal Station.
	— Trincomalie	68	,,	113	,,	See table, No. 7.

No. 9.—From Kandy to Jaffna, by Dambool and Mihintella.

From Kandy					
To *Dambool*	45	,,	,,	,,	See table No. 8, Rest House.
— Mirissigona oya	1	7	46	7	Ford, generally impassable during the monsoon rains.
— *Elleegammo*	8	2	55	1	Village.
— Koodekakerawé	3	2	58	3	do. Here a road now being made branches off West to Putlam, joining that from Anuradjapoora.
— *Maradan Kaddevelly*	6	2	64	5	Village West of Road,
— *Peria Colom*	3	6	68	3	do. East do.
— *Allitane*	2	,,	70	3	do. West do.
— *Tiripany*	1	4	71	7	do. do. do.

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No. 9.—From Kandy to Jaffna by Dambool and Mehintella.—(*Continued.*)

Gd.Cr.Rd. Road practicable for wheels in the dry seasons, but heavy & tedious in the rains.

Names of Places,	*M.*	*F.*	*Total. M.*	*Total. F.*	*Remarks.*
To Malwatte oya	2	,,	73	7	Ford, often dry, seldom an obstacle.
— *Gal colom*.....	2	4	76	3	Village west of Road.
— *Mehintella Boolan colam*	6	,,	82	3	Here junction of the 4 great lines from Jaffna, Trincomalie, Putlam and Kandy. Cooly shed
— Maha Kanedra oya ...	6	6	89	1	Ford. [about to be erected.
— Sangala Kanedra oya ..	4	2	93	3	Bridge in course of erection.
— *Madavatchy*	1	6	95	1	Junction of road Talmanaar and Manaar, also that to Trincomalie: see Table No. 30.
— *Poonawhe*	5	6	100	7	*Village* west of Road.
— Pee-aar or Booaoya	4	3	105	2	Ford.
— *Eraperia colom*	2	3	107	5	*Village.*
— *Vavonia volan colom*....	3	6	111	3	*Rest House*, a Road branches off West to Manaar.
— *Notchimoatai*	4	6	116	1	*Village.*
— *Iramba colom*	4	6	120	7	*Rest House* and Village.
— *Kallolingan poolliencolom*	5	4	126	3	Small Village east of road; junction of road to Mulletivoe, see Table No. 31.
— *Kanagarayen colom*	6	4	132	7	*Rest House* and Village,
— Kanagarayen aar	2	4	135	3	Ford,
— *Ambamum*	8	6	144	1	*Rest House.*
— Modlear colom	2	2	146	3	Small village.
— *Vattakatchy*	11	2	157	5	*Rest House* and Village. Another line direct to Oolalear pallam,
— *Kandavelly*	4	,,	161	5	Ford, *Rest House.* [katchy,
— *Oolalear pallam.....	3	4	165	1	Paddy Fields, road now opened direct to Vatta-
— Elephant Pass.....	3	,,	168	1	Ford, salt water.
— .... *do.*	1	,,	169	1	*Rest House.*
— Junction with Road from Jaffna to Pass Beshuter,	4	3	173	4	
— *Karaudy colom	,,	1	173	5	Tank, Fresh water which is sometimes scarce at Elephant Pass.
— Mogomalle	8	,,	181	5	Road gravelled from this to Jaffna. †
— Kodigammo.....	4	7	186	4	Road branches off to Point Pedro.
— Savagacherry	4	1	190	5	Police Court, American Mission Station.
— Salt River.....	6	7	197	4	Bridge.
— Jaffna	4	1	201	5	Metropolis of the Northern Province.

N. B.—The three places marked* in this table are not inhabited.

Those places printed in italics will be found the most convenient for travellers to stop at.

† Mail Coach leaves for Jaffna every morning, except Monday, at 7 o'clock, and leaves Jaffna for Mogomalle every day except Sunday, at 2 p. m.

No. 10.—From Kandy to Badoola by Nuwera Ellia.

Carriage Road.

From Kandy					
To Peradenia	4	,,	,,	,,	Bridge and Toll.
— Gampola.....	8	5	12	5	Hotel, Road branches off to Newalpitt Court.
— Poocellawa	10	3	23	,,	Rest House.
— Ranghodde	10	,,	33	,,	
— Nuwera Ellia	14	,,	47	,,	Military Station, Assistant Government Agent and Police Court, &c. Rest House.
— Wilson Bungaloe	13	,,	60	,,	Rest House.
— Mahatetilla	9	,,	69	,,	Bridge.
— *A*ttampettia	2	2	71	2	Rest House.
— Himbliatéwelle	3	,,	74	2	Old Military Post.
— Badoola	10	4	84	6	Military Station, *A*ssistant Agent's Station, District Judge's Court, &c.

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No. 11.—FROM KANDY TO BADOOLA, BY "LOWER ROAD" THROUGH GONEGAMWA.

	Names of Places.	M.	F.	Total. M.	Total. F.	Remarks.
From Kandy to Harrackgam Oya passable for Carts; beyond that Bridle road.	From Kandy					
	To Kondesally	3	7	,,	,,	
	— Tallat oya Bridge	,,	5	4	4	
	— Harrackgam oya	5	1	9	5	
	— Maha oya	2	,,	11	5	Ferry.
	— Gonnegamwa	3	4	15	1	Top of Diaboobela pass, Village.
	— Billahool oya	3	2	18	3	Ferry.
	— Kooronde oya	4	5	23	,,	Ford.
	— Ooma oya	5	6	28	6	Ferry, Rest House.
	— Vella oya	6	3	35	1	Ford.
	— Teldenia	9	,,	44	1	Rest House, Road branches off to Batticaloa.
	— Badoola	10	,,	54	1	Military Station, &c. &c.

No. 12.—ROAD FROM KANDY TO BADOOLA BY HEWAHETTE AND MADOOLA.

Bridle Road only. First 2 miles out of Kandy passable for Carts.	From Kandy.					
	To Tallat oya	5	,,	,,	,,	Ford.
	— Keolinde-oya	4	,,	9	,,	do.
	— Marrasenna	3	,,	12	4	Large Village.
	— Maha-oya	4	4	16	4	Bad Ford.
	— Rickelyeagaskedde	6	4	23	,,	Highest summit level, before descending to the Bilhool-oya.
	— Bilhool-oya	5	,,	28	,,	Bad Ford, Road branches off through Maturatta to Nuwera Ellia about 19 miles.
	— Moongwatte	5	,,	33	,,	Village.
	— Illookpalasse	1	,,	34	,,	do.
	— Penella	2	,,	36	,,	do.
	— Koombalgamwa	2	,,	38	,,	do.
	— Kooroonde oya	2	,,	40	,,	Bridge.
Native Path trace not yet made.	— Neldandaheina	4	4	44	4	Road to Nuwera Ellia.
	— Madoola	5	4	50	,,	Large populous village.
Bridle Road.	— Dickwella	13	,,	63	,,	Road branches off towards Hambantotte.
	— Badoola	4	,,	67	,,	

No. 13.—FROM KANDY TO PUTLAM, BY KURNEGALLE.

From Kandy					
To Kornegalle	26	,,	,,	,,	See table No. 3.
— Magru oya	6	,,	32	,,	Easy Ford.
— Wariapola	7	,,	39	,,	Rest House, Tappal Station.
— Padenia	2	7	41	7	Temple on left, Road to Anarajapora branches off Right.
— Dedro oya	6	7	48	6	Ferry and Toll.
— Nickewarretia	2	2	51	,,	Rest House, Large Tank on Right. Tappal station
— Tallacolâheniа	2	2	53	2	Road to Oodupankara (on sea coast,) branches off West
— Mudattowe	4	6	58	,,	Village.
— Cappitiawe	2	,,	60	,,	Stone Pillars; boundary of Seven Korles and Putlam District.
— Annemadowe	3	,,	63	,,	Rest House and Cooly shed.
— Kooducatchie	6	,,	69	,,	Large Village.
— Dick weva	3	,,	72	,,	Tappal Station and Cooly shed.
— Putlam	7	,,	79	,,	Military Station, Agent of Government of North Western Province, Police Magistrate, &c.

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No. 14—Road from Kandy to Manaar and Talmanaar, by Dambool and the Central Road.

	Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Total. M.*	*Total. F.*	*Remarks.*
Road through flat Country practicable for Carts in dry weather, but with difficulty during the rains.	From Kandy to					
	To Mibintella	82	3	,,	,,	See Table 9.
	— *Madavatchy*	12	2	94	5	Village &c. Cooly shed about being erected.
	— *Yakkaweva*	7	2	101	7	Village south of Road.
	— Man colom	2	,,	103	,,	Cooly shed about being erected.
	— *VengalleChetty colom*	7	,,	110	7	Village North of Road.
	— Pee-Aar....	2	2	113	1	River Ford, Cooly shed.
	— ParianArlan colom	7	6	120	7	Cooly Station, Road from this to Vavonia colom. See Tables 9 & 4,
	— *Pomelandan*	2	,,	122	7	Village north of Road.
	— Koombesantan colom	5	,,	127	7	Cooly station,
	— *Mooroongan*.....	6	,,	133	7	Village south of Road.
	— *Oowelan colom*....	5	,,	138	7	Cooly station.
	— Tallalle	5	4	144	3	do. do. Ford over tidal flats to Manaar.
	— Manaar	2	4	146	7	Old Fort, Station of Assistant Government Agent, District Judge: Port of Export and Import.
Very deep sand.	— Tallamanar	17	,,	163	7	Ports at which Indian Coolies embark and debark.

N. B.—The Villages marked in italics will be found the most convenient for Travellers to stop at.

No. 15.—Road from Badoola to Hambantotte.

	From Badoola					
	To Ella.....	12	6	,,	,,	Rest House, Top of Hambantotte pass, Road from Badoola to this practicable for wheels. 8th mile, road branches off on the right to Ratnapoora.
Road practicable for Carts in dry weather.	— Polegaha wella.....		2	21	,,	Descent of pass, Bridle and Tavalum road Village. Bungaloe to be built.
	— Wellawaye.....	9	4	30	4	Good Bungaloe, large Village.
	— Telloola	9	,,	39	4	Do. and village, Kirinda oya ¼ mile East.
	— Tanawalvilla	11	4	51	,,	Village and Bungaloe, Kirinda oya still running parallel. Boundary of Central and Southern Provinces.
	— Oodackatella	6	,,	57	,,	Village and Tank, west of Road.
	— Landejulaney	6	,,	63	,,	do. do. east of do. Rest House.
	— Hambantotte	9	,,	72	,,	Military Post, station of Assistant Government Agent, Police Magistrate, &c.

No. 16.—Road from Badoola to Batticaloa.

Bridle and Tavalum road only.	From Badoola					
	To Taldenia.....	10	,,	,,	,,	Bungaloe. Road to Kandy on left.
	— Meegaha Kewoola ..	4	,,	14	,,	Spring never fails. Village.
	— Loggal oya.....	4	,,	18	,,	River (Ford) never dry.
	— Booboole.....	6	,,	24	,,	Rest house, Spring never dry.
	— Hapolle oya	4	,,	28	,,	River (Ford) never dry.
	— Oolitty oya.....	3	,,	31	,,	River, sometimes dry.
	— Madoora oya	7	,,	38	,,	Halting Station; water always to be had in the River.
Road from the limits of the Ouva District to the Batticaloa Lake.	— Madoora Oya.....	,,	,,	38	,,	Halting Station; water always to be had in the River.
	— Pattilalawa.....	3	,,	41	,,	Junction of the new trace, now opened right through to Ellegodde.
	— Kaloday	5	,,	46	,,	Halting Station; water always to be had in the Stream.
	— Ellegodde	5	,,	51	,,	Junction of the new trace opened from Pattetalawa.
	— Morapolle	5	,,	56	,,	Halting Station; water always to be had in the Stream.
	— Karrawattie	11	,,	67	,,	Halting Station; water always to be had in the River.
	— Kuringamooe.....	9	,,	76	,,	Tiled Bungalow; Bank of the Batticaloa Lake.

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No. 17.—ROAD FROM ANURAJAPORA TO PUTLAM.

	Names of Places.	M.	F.	Total. M.	Total. F.	Remarks.
Traced road practicable for Wheels.	From Anurajapora					
	To Tissaweva	1	1	,,	,,	Large Tank.
	— Korookava	2	2	3	3	Village.
	— Boolancolom	4	,,	7	3	do.
	— Ikenyawa	4	,,	11	3	do.
	— Doonodenabyawa	4	,,	15	3	do.
	— Timberaweva	3	,,	18	3	do.
	— Do,	,,	2	18	2	Road now being opened from Central Province.
	— Tamanawa	2	3	20	5	Village. [See Table 9.
	— Kala oya	2	3	23	,,	Boundary of Northern and N.Western Province.
New Trace.	— Palloogasweve	3	,,	26	,,	Village.
	— Oopoo colom	4	,,	30	,,	Village.
	— Karienkali colom	3	,,	33	,,	Village.
	— Mee oya	7	,,	40	,,	River, Ford.
	— Putlam	6	4	46	4	

No. 18.—ROAD FROM ANARAJAPORA TO TRINCOMALIE.

From Anarajapora					
To Mihintella	8	,,	,,	,,	
— *Loonoowewe*	10	4	18	4	Village.
— *Kulpe*	9	7	28	3	do.
— Horrowapothani	5	1	33	4	do. Road from this to Mada-watchie on the Central Road,
— *Maradan Kadawelly*	1	6	35	2	Village.
— *Yan aar*	2	,,	37	2	River, Ford.
— *Ratmalee*	,,	6	38	,,	Village Boundary of Northern Province.
— Notchi colom	5	,,	43	,,	Two houses on the right; tank to the left.
— Tamba cota	2	,,	45	,,	do. do.
— Pancolom	3	6	48	6	Fine Tank close on right.
— Kitulootu	5	4	54	2	Spring of water few yards off the road to right.
— *Velvevy*	2	3	56	5	Village and R. C. Chapel.
—Kanniai	2	1	58	6	Road branches off right to Hot wells of Kanniah half mile distant.
— Trincomalie	7	,,	65	6	

No. 19.—ROAD FROM ANARAJAPORA TO ARIPO.

Practicable for Carts.	From Anarajapora				
	To Aleaparte	6	7	,,	,,	Village.
	— Oyemaddoo	4	7	11	6	Rest House.
	— Paymaddoo	8	1	19	7	Tank.
	— Kiritenna Veditte	8	4	28	3	Rest House.
	— Kallaar	6	3	34	6	River dry except in rainy season.
	— Sillawatorre	7	4	42	2	Rest House, Large Village and Port.
	— Doric	2	3	44	5	Pearl Fishery station.

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No. 20.—From Negombo to Kornegalle, by Girioulle.

Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Total.* M.	*Total.* F.	*Remarks.*
From Negombo					
To Kandawelle.....	3	4	,,	,,	End of Base Line through the Kaderane Gardens.
— Kattookandy	8	4	12	,,	Sugar and other Estates.
— Dalpathgeddera	3	,,	15	,,	Village.
— Welliheina or Cottadeniawa..	2	,,	17	,,	Road to Jayelle, branches off to the Southward.
— Girioulle	5	4	22	4	Ferry, across Maha oya Boundary of Western and North-western Provinces.
— Dambadeniye	2	4	25	,,	Temple: one of the ancient Capitals of the Island.
— Metiyegene	3	,,	28	,,	Ambelam.
— Naramulla oye	8	4	36	4	Foot Bridge, ford for Horses.
— Nagaha gedera	,,	5	37	1	Rest House. Road branches off North-West to Madampe.
— Booloopitiye.....	5	,,	42	1	Village.
— Avukande ..... "..	5	,,	47	1	Allow and Kurnegalle road.
— Kornegalle	1	2	48	3	

No. 21.—From Negombo to the Kandy road near Veangodde.

Good Car. road.	From Negombo					
	To Kadarane	4	,,	,,	,,	
	— Minowangodde	4	6	8	6	Road branches off South to Jayelle, North to Cottadeniawa.
	— Kandy road near Veangodde.....	10	2	19	,,	

No. 22.—From Galle to Baddegamma and Hickgodde.

Fair Car. road.	From Galle					
	To Baddegamma.....	14	,,	,,	,,	Station of Church Missionary Society, Rest House.
	— Halpetotte	1	,,	15	,,	Ferry across Gindura River.
	— Hickgodde	5	,,	20	,,	The 60th Mile on the Galle road.

No. 23.—Road from Jaffna to Point Pedro.

Good Car. road.	From Jaffna					
	To Kopay.....	6	,,	,,	,,	Church Missionary Station.
	— Salt River	6	3	12	3	Bridge.
	— Vallai plain	1	1	13	4	Road branches off to Valvettytorre.
	— Junction with road from Kodigamo	5	6	19	2	
	— Point Pedro	1	6	21	,,	Rest House. Station of Police Magistrate, &c.

No. 24.—Road from Jaffna to Kangaisentorre.

Od. Car. road.	From Jaffna					
	To Oodovil	5	,,	,,	,,	American Mission Station.
	— Mallagam	2	4	7	4	Station of Police Magistrate
	— Tillipalle.....	1	4	9	,,	American Mission Station.
	— Kangaisentorre	2	2	11	2	

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No. 25.—ROAD FROM JAFFNA TO POONALLE.

	Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Total.* M.	*Total.* F.	*Remarks.*
Good Carriage road.	From Jaffna					
	To Manipay	5	„	„	„	*American Mission Station.*
	— Sangany.....	3	2	8	2	
	— Poonale..	1	6	10	„	

No. 26.—ROAD FROM JAFFNA TO VATTACOTTA.

Good Car. road.	From Jaffna					
	To Vattacotta.....	7	„	7	„	*American Mission Station.*

No. 27.—ROAD FROM POINT PEDRO TO KODIGAMO.

Good Carriage road.	From Point Pedro					
	To Junction with Jaffna road....	1	6	„	„	
	— Varany	5	2	7	„	*American Mission Station.*
	— Kodigamo Bazar..	3	4	10	4	

No. 28.—ROAD FROM JAFFNA BY VALVETTYTORRE, TO POINT PEDRO.

Good Carriage road.	From Jaffna					
	To Vallai	13	4	„	,	
	— Oodopootty	2	„	15	4	American Mission Station.
	— Valvettytorre	1	2	16	6	
	— Point Pedro	4	5	21	3	

No. 29.—ROAD FROM MANAAR TO THE CENTRAL ROAD AT VAVONIA VOLAN COLOM.

From Parien Arlen Colom					See Tables No. 9 & 14
To *Poovenamcolom*	5	„	„	„	
— Arlen Colom	2	6	7	6	
— *Pooveraysen colum..*	5	1	12	7	
— Vavonia Volan colom	9	1	22	„	Rest House, See Table No. 9.

No. 30.—ROAD FROM MANAAR TO TRINCOMALIE.

Practicable for Carts in dry weather.	To Madavatchy ...	52	2	„	„	See Table No. 9.
	— Horowapotane..	23	„	75	2	See Table No. 18.
	— Trincomalie....	33	2	108	4	

No. 31.—ROAD FROM KANDY TO MULLETIVOE BY DAMBOOL AND MIHINTALLE.

Practicable for carts in dry weather.	To Kallcolingam Poolien colom	6	3	„	„	See Table No. 9.
	— Neyuamaddee	6	4	132	7	Village.
	— *Nedoonkeany*.....	4	5	137	4	Do.
	— Tattamalle.....	4	4	142	„	Do.
	— Elunganarsyencolom	6	„	148	„	Do.
	— *Mulleavelly*	4	„	152	„	Do.
	— Mulletivoe	5	6	157	6	See Table No. 1,

Those places printed in italics will be found most convenient for Travellers to stop at.

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WESTERN PROVINCE.

The Bridge of Boats at Grand Pass.
The Draw Bridge at Grand Pass.
The Bridge at Ooroogodewatte.
The „ at Allootgam.
The „ at Ambepusse.
The „ at Anguruawelle.
The „ at Mawene Elle.
The „ at Dehewille.
The „ at Cottah.
The „ at Pamancade.
The „ at Dandoogam.
The „ at Kottoogodde.
The „ at Bibily Oya.
The „ at Digirolle.
The „ at Andiambelam.
The Ferry at Pasbetal.
The „ at Pantura.
The „ at Horrekelle.
The „ at Caltura.
The „ at Kottoogodde.
The „ at Mutuwadia.
The „ at Kaymelle.
The „ at Toppoo.
The „ at Kattawne.
The „ at Kosgahamancade.
The „ at Girreoelle.
The Ferry at Kettewatte.
The „ at Kotedenawe.
The „ at Mutwal.
The „ at Situakke.
The „ at Ruanwelle.
The „ at Karun Elle.
The „ at Aranderre.
The „ at Kittegaha-oya.
The „ at Bolgodde.
The „ at Rookgahatotte.
The „ at Wewelle.
The „ at Anguruatotte.
The „ at Warekatotte.
The „ at Demmewatte.
Canal toll at Grand Pass.
do. on boats passing under the Bridge of Boats.
do. Gorekegahatotte.
do. Katukurunde.
do. Pattelegedere.
do. over the Kooroogangа on the road from Avishawelle to Ratnapoora.
do. Negombo.
do. Kittanpatuwe.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

The Bridge at Madrankoly.
The „ at Tommodere and the following Branch Stations:
Codawawe.
Madampe.
Wallapittia, & Maylawe.
The Ferry at Ging-oya.
The „ at Chilaw.
The „ at Battool-oya.
The Ferry at Dedro oya.
The „ at Palavey.
The „ at Putlam.
The „ at Calpentyn.
The „ at Alawe.
The „ at Dadro-oya on the road from Putlam to Kurnegalle.
The Road at the foot of the Gallegedere Pass.

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

The Bridge at Kiembia-Ellia.
The „ at Ballepitymodere.
The „ at Pol oya.
The Ferry at Halpetotte.
The Bridge at Gindurah.
The „ at Bentotte.
The „ at Polwatte.
The Ferry at Wallaway.

EASTERN PROVINCE—*Batticaloa Division.*

One from the Fort wharf to Callady.
„ Bazar to Cotemone.
One from the western end of the Island to Veeclucalmone.

NORTHERN PROVINCE.

The Palmirah Bridge over the Salt River.
The Valai Bridge.
The Vallekear do.
The Ferry at Colombogam.
The Ferry at Pannetorre.
The „ at Araly.
The „ at Manar.
The „ at Kokolay.

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

The Bridge at Peradenia.
The „ at Kireepaney.
The „ at Kershaws.
The „ at Paneragame & Odowelle.
The „ at Bawagame.
The Ferry at Halloluwe.
The „ at Gampola.
The „ at Gannoruwe.
The „ at Pinga-oya.
The „ at Alutgantotte.
The „ at Lewelle.
The „ at Ilukmodere.
The Ferry at Kondesale.
The „ at Gunawatte.
The „ at Maha-oya.
The „ at Oma-oya.
The „ at Billhul oya.
The Road Toll at Kadduwella
The „ at Poocelawa.
The „ at Rambodde.
The Top of Nuwera Ellia Pass.
„ Girigatheina Pass.
„ Ambegamowe.

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Ports and Harbours.

PORT OF COLOMBO.

This part of the Coast of Ceylon is low, with some isolated hills at a distance in the country. On the northern side of the Town of Colombo the ground rises a little, and is covered with lofty Cocoanut and other trees, which are generally seen coming from seaward before the Light house or Flag Staff.

The high mountain having on it a sharp cone, called Adams Peak, bears from Colombo E. ½ S. distant 46 miles. It rises 7,420 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather has been seen at the distance of 30 leagues. In the N. E. monsoon, it is generally visible in the morning, and sometmes throughout the day: but it is rarely seen in the S. W. monsoon through the humid atmosphere which prevails in that season.

A brilliant light is exhibited every night from a Lighthouse near the Flag Staff of the Fort. The height of the light above the sea is 97 feet, and it may be seen in clear weather until intercepted by the horizon. It is in latitude 6° 56′ 6″ North, and in longtitude 79° 49′ 48″ East.

About 7 miles off shore there is a steep bank of coral and sand with 15 fathoms of water over it. It is not more than half a mile broad, but extends several miles in the direction of the coast. About two miles to the westward of the banks soundings are obtained in 28 fathoms water on greenish sand, and close to it there are 23 fathoms. After passing over the bank the water suddenly deepens to 25 fathoms on sand, and from thence the depth gradually lessens as the shore is approached. About three quarters of a mile S. W. by W. ½ W. from the Lighthouse lies the northern and shallowest part of a bed of rocks called the "Drunken Sailor," on which the sea generally breaks, the depth of water being only 6 feet. This ledge is about 100 yards in length, but with the exception of about twenty yards of the northern part, there are 4, 5, and 6 fathoms on it. In the N. E. monsoon, when the sea is smooth and the breakers are not seen, it is prudent not to come within 9 fathoms water, as there are 8 fathoms close to the rocks. The passage within the ledge is clear with 7 fathoms on sandy bottom, but the position of these rocks is so near the shore and so much to the southward of the usual anchorage, that no advantage can be gained by steering near them at any time. The currents off Colombo are subject to considerable variation, particularly about the changes of the monsoon, when they are the strongest; but generally there is not so much current as to inconvenience shipping having to communicate with the shore without coming to anchor.

The greatest difference between high and low water recorded at Colombo is not more than 2 ft. 10 inches. In the S. W. monsoon when the mean level of the Ocean is the lowest, the difference between high and low water is from 5 to 15 inches. On those days when the difference between high and low water is not more than 6 inches, the rise and fall has been observed to take place four times within 24 hours.

The anchorage ground is very good in Colombo roadstead, particularly in 7 and 8 fathoms, with the Lighthouse bearing S. S. E. and the Dutch Church E. by S. ½ S. In the N. E. monsoon merchant ships frequently anchor in 6½ fathoms with the Light house bearing S. ½ E. and the Dutch Church E. by S. ¾ S.

Whenever a Pilot is required on board the charge for his services is 15 shillings. From the Custom House point a shifting sand bank, or bar, extends to the N. N. W. about 200 fathoms, on which the depth of water is sometimes not more than 7 feet. Small vessels that draw 9 feet water moor within the bar, and are protected by it and the Custom House point from the S. W. wind and sea.

When the sea is high it breaks with great force on the bar and renders the passage to and from the shipping in the outer roads dangerous for small boats. The boats belonging to the port and native boats pass out and in to the southward of the breakers on the bar, by keeping as close as possible to the breakers on the rocky point, round which is the landing wharf. But this passage should not be attempted by a stranger when the sea breaks heavily on the bar: it is then more safe to pass to the northward of the breakers. The anchorage off Colombo is so much frequented at all seasons of the year, that little need to be said about it. It may however be as well to mention, that in the S. W. monsoon it is prudent to ride with a long scope of cable, as sometimes the squalls are

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strong. Commanders of ships should take special care to secure the small iron pins in their chain cables, as the constant pitching motion caused by the S. W. monsoon swell, has very frequently worked out the small iron pins by the beating of the cables on sandy bottom. Hard wooden pins dipped in white lead have been used successfully, instead of iron ones, by some of the regular trading ships.

J. STEUART, *Master Attendant.*

PORT OF POINT DE GALLE.

Point de Galle Lighthouse in Latitude 6° 1′ 45″ N., Longitude 80° 16′ E. stands at the southern angle of the Fort, which is built on a rocky peninsula; several rocky islets lay off the Lighthouse, one of which (named Pigeon Island) has 3 Cocoanut trees on it: the harbour is to the eastward of the Fort; watering point at the opposite side of the entrance, bearing from the Lighthouse E. by S. ½ S. 1 mile; it is considered safe at all seasons, but many rocks having from 3 to 20 feet water are scattered over the entrance and inside, rendering it necessary for Vessels to take a Pilot: the outermost of these rocks having 12 feet water on it, bears from the Lighthouse about S. by E. ¾ E. ⅝ mile.

The best anchorage in the roads is to the S. W. of these rocks, in from 15 to 18 fathoms water, with the Lighthouse on with the Haycock, or the Church with Pilot's tree; or, if the marks cannot be distinguished, the Lighthouse bearing from N. by E. to N. N. E. about 1 mile off shore:

S. W. by W. 3 miles from Galle Lighthouse there is a rocky Bank called Gallehoogalle Bank, nearly a mile in extent, having in one place only 16 fathoms water, the general depth on it being 18 to 22, inside this bank there is 29 fathoms and close to it outside, 30 to 35.

Bellows Rock which always breaks, bears from Galle Lighthouse S. 50 E. 2½ miles, and from Danawatty Point (the extreme of the high land forming the East side of Galle Harbour) S. S. E. ¾ E. a large ½ mile, there is 10 fathoms water close to the Rock on the outside.

Gindura Rock, which is very dangerous, lies about 2 miles directly off the mouth of the Gindura River, and bears from Galle Lighthouse W. by N. ¼ N. 4 ⅛ m.: (it is called by the natives *Medda* Rock;) there is only 9 feet water on its shoalest part, 4 and 5 fathoms about a cable's length from it all round, and 15 fathoms ¼ m. outside: Oonawatty Point kept open outside the breakers of the Whale, clears on the outside; or, the extreme of the land to the Northward kept open of some rocky islets situate close to the shore about 6 miles to the northward of Gindura Rock.

The Whale bears from Galle Lighthouse W. 4° N. 2½ miles, and is nearly 1½ mile from the shore; it always breaks, but in fine weather only once in 4 or 5 minutes, so that a good lookout is then necessary when passing it; there are 7 fms. water close outside, 12 fms. ¼ mile, and 20 fms. ¾ mile off.

The Little Whale, a small rock above water with 7 fms. close to all round, lies about half way between the Whale and Galle Lighthouse on the same line of bearing.

The Haycock, a high conical mountain conspicuous from seaward is a good land mark for this part of the Coast; it bears from Galle Lighthouse N. by E. ½ E. distant about 20 Miles.

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THE HARBOUR OF TRINCOMALIE.

TRINCOMALIE, situated on the east side of the Island of Ceylon, contains a most spacious safe harbour, and with its small bays and coves is perhaps superior to any in India. Every part of the harbour is land-locked, the anchorage good for any number of Ships and of any burthen.

Back Bay from the 1st of April to the 25th October is also an excellent anchorage with from 10 to 5 fathoms water good holding ground, sea quite smooth, so that the smallest boats may land. Fort Frederick forms the S. E. point of the bay, the Flag-staff there is in Latitude 8° 35′ 38″ N. and Long. 81° 14′ 52″ E. A good light which can be seen 15 miles off is exhibited at the Flag-staff every night soon after sun-set; it is 206 feet above the level of the sea, and serves to guide Ships by night clear of the rocks off Pigeon Island to the north and the shoals off Foul Point to the S. E., as well as to lead them to an anchorage in Back Bay. Pilots for the inner harbour are necessary, as there are dangerous

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shoals outside and inside; but Back Bay is quite safe. Vessels may lie within 1-3d of a mile from the Custom House in 5 fathoms water. The Custom House is opened for business on the 1st of April and continues until 25th of October when all is changed to the Custom House in the Inner Harbour.

A NEW LIGHT was exhibited at Flag-staff Point Trincomalie on the night of the 1st Oct. 1845, and is continued every night from sun-set until day light.

The Lantern having a fixed light with two powerful reflectors, when hoisted, is 206 feet above the level of the sea. The Light can be seen 15 miles off from any bearing between Pigeon Island and Foul Point comprehending an angle of 140 degrees.

The following remarks are published for general information:—

Latitude of the Light	8°	35′	38″ N
Longitude from Madras Flag-staff	0	58	22 E
Longitude from Greenwich	81	14	52 E
Variation of the Compass	0	59	37 E

Foul Point bears from the Light S. 55° E. distant 5½ miles, and the extreme of the reef off that point S. 60° E. nearly 5 miles.

Ships coming from the S. E. with a fair wind at night and having made the Light should on no account in passing Foul Point bring the Light to bear to the northward of W. N. W., that bearing will take a Ship more than half a mile to the northward of the reef and in not less than 14 fathoms water. If it is intended to anchor in Back Bay (which Ships may safely do between the middle of March and 25th October) and having brought the Light to bear W. N. W. they may steer directly for it rounding Flag-staff point close (the point being steep to) and anchor in 10 fathoms water with the Light bearing about S. b. E., small Vessels may anchor in 6 or 7 fathoms water with the Light bearing S. E. b. E.

From the Light the outside visible Rock of Pigeon Island, distant about 9 miles, is in a direct line with Elizabeth Point, bearing N. 15° W. Ships coming from the northward and wishing to anchor in Back Bay should be cautious not to bring the Light to bear to the eastward of south; that bearing will lead 2 miles to the eastward of Pigeon Island and nearly a mile to the eastward of the Lively Rocks. These Rocks lie half a mile to the eastward of Elizabeth Point having 4 fathoms water close to. When quite sure of being to the southward of the Lively Rocks, ships may bring the Light to bear S. by E. and anchor in Back Bay as before directed.

After the 25th October the anchorage in Back Bay is not safe until the middle of March, as there is frequently towards the end of October before the North East monsoon sets in, a heavy swell with variable winds. Ships should not attempt the Inner Harbour during the night except under most favourable circumstances, such as good moon-light and having a person on board possessing local knowledge of the Harbour and the entrance to it. In such a case and being abreast of Flag staff Point the Light kept N. N. W. ¼ W. will lead clear of Chapel Rocks. The extreme Rock which is under water, bears from the Light S. 18° E. distant 2 miles.

JOSEPH HIGGS, *Master Attendant.*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR NAVIGATING THE GULF OF MANAAR.

Some few years since it was considered a hazardous undertaking for a Vessel of any size to proceed far up into the Gulf of Manaar, the more particularly during the S.W. Monsoon, when it was supposed to be impossible to beat out again. Later experience, however, has shewn that no dangers exist that may not be avoided by ordinary care and attention; and that as regards working to windward gainst the Monsoons, no difficulty will be experienced if the following instructions be attended to.

In the N.E. Monsoon, that is, from November to March inclusive, fine weather, with land and sea breezes, will be found to prevail on the Ceylon side of the Gulf, where good anchorage may always be selected between Colombo and Chilaw, at 1½ to 3 miles off shore, in 6 to 9 fathoms, sand. Vessels wishing to beat up during the first three months ought therefore to keep over on that side till they have advanced sufficiently far to make certain of their port if bound to the Indian coast, as the breezes there may be excepted to blow steadily and strong N.N.E. with a strong lee current. In rounding the Cape Comorin at this

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time the Indian shore may be kept on board till abreast of Manupaud Point, a high promontory, with a small white Church erected on its summit. A Vessel may then stretch across with advantage, and probably in the next tack fetch Tuticoreen, the only port on the Indian coast frequented by large Vessels.

Small Vessels of light draught will also find this the easiest method of working up; and if bound to Paumben had better keep the Ceylon shore till abreast of Calpentyn, which they may know by the three long hills of Kodramallai, the only ones near the coast. They can then stand across, and make Paumben either by the eastern channel between the Island of Ramisseram and the Reef and Island south of that port, or by the western channel between Freshwater and Anapaar Islands at Valinookum Point.

In the S.W. Monsoon a Ship ought to keep over on the Indian side till near Manapaud Point, when she will generally be able to fetch to windward of Colombo, and be clear of all dangers. The only safe place for Vessels of size to anchor in on the Ceylon coast, during this Monsoon, is at Colombo, where the current from the Kalany Ganga or Mutwall River, running to windward, takes much of the strain off the cables of Vessels riding there. Should one nevertheless part, or find it necessary to slip, she may seek safety by standing across the Gulf to Tuticoreen, which, being situated on the weather side, affords good shelter and anchorage. A fixed light, seen 8 or 10 miles off, was erected on Hare Island at this port last year with a view to facilitate the approach to the anchorage during the night; and the instructions relative to it are herewith republished.

Small craft working down from Paumben will do well to keep inside the Islands till they reach the Western entrance of the inland navigation at Valinookum Point. They can now work down near the coast as far as Manapaud Point, when their fetching Colombo on the starboard tack may be considered certain.

Colombo Flagstaff, which is close to the lighthouse, is in 6° 56′ 6″ North latitude, and 79° 56′ 6″ East longitude. The anchorage, as given by Captain Steuart, the Master Attendant, is in 7 to 8¾ fathoms during the S.W. Monsoon, with the lighthouse S.S.E. Easterly, and the Dutch Church, a large building in the bottom of the bay, the upper part of which having a thatched belfry may be seen over the houses of the Town, bearing E. by S. In the N.E. Monsoon Vessels may anchor farther in, with the light S. ½ E. and the same Church E.S.E in 6½ to 7 fathoms, sand and mud in each position. The Drunken Sailor, a patch of rocks about 100 yards long and 20 broad, with only 6 feet over it in some parts, is situated 1,150 yards S.W. by W. ½ W. of the Flagstaff, and 1,000 yards off the nearest shore. It has from 6 to 9 fathoms close round it.

The Harbour, which is only used by small craft, is well protected during the S.W. Monsoon by the Custom House Point, behind which they anchor in 2½ to 3½ fathoms, sand, with it bearing from S.W. to W.S.W., and Mutwall Point N. by E. to N.N.E. A sandy spit extends from the first-named Point in a northerly direction, with 1½ to 2½ fathoms over it and 5 to 6 fathoms close outside. To avoid this the Dutch Church ought to be kept E. by S. ½ S. till the Custom House bears S. by W.

Negombo Fort, off which Vessels may shortly have to anchor for the purpose of shipping Sugar the produce of estates lately brought under cultivation in its vicinity, is in 7° 12′ 9″ North latitude, and 79° 53′ East longitude. The best anchorage is a mile off shore, with the Fort about East, Northerly, just clear of Negombo rocky point, in 6½ to 7 fathoms, sand; but as this sand is not deep, and the stream of the Negombo Lake, which empties itself here, sets to the North, I would decidedly warn Vessels from anchoring here during the S.W. Monsoon, or from May to August, inclusive. Rocks awash extend from the Point N. by W. ½ W. for 400 yards, and the ledge may be then traced in the same direction, with 3, 4, and 5 fathoms over it for 2¾ miles further, till it terminates in a coral patch, having 9 to 12 feet over it. 2½ miles off shore. Small craft can cross this ledge, and anchor in 2 to 3 fathoms, with Negombo Point S.W. ½ W., and the Fort S.E. by E., from ¼ to ½ mile off shore.

Chilaw Bungalow, in 7° 34′ North latitude, and 79° 51′ 29″ East longitude, may be known by its high red tiled roof, seen 8 or 9 miles off in clear weather. On the Charts now extant some rocks are placed near this at some distance from the shore, but they were found to be not more than ¾ of a mile off, and consequently cannot be considered as forming any obstacle to general navigation. They are situated 5 miles due North of the Bungalow; and are in a line between it and the next Point. Twenty-one miles North of the Bungalow uneven soundings on rock, to as little as 3¼ fathoms are found from 3 to 4 miles off shore, with 6 and 8 fathoms immediately outside. Vessels of size therefore ought to be careful not to come within this distance of the land hereabouts, although small craft can at all times go over the shoal.

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Dutch Bay, in 8° 19′ North latitude, and 79° 50′ East longitude, is well sheltered from all winds, but more particularly from the S.W., which are the strongest on the coast. Vessels can anchor here in 2½ to 3 fathoms, stiff mud, close inside the neck of sand that forms the Western side of the Bay, with a Cocoanut tope and house called Paringethoray bearing S.S.W. The only dangers in the approach to it are a rocky patch, with 2¾ over it at low water, 2 miles W.S.W. of the North end of the neck of sand before mentioned, and some shoal water 3 miles N.N.W. off the same Point, and 2½ miles West of some Palmyra trees, a few of which are leafless, on the Island of Karateevo. This last extends North and South about 2 miles, with an average breadth of one, having from 3 feet to 3 fathoms, with a small patch of sand, generally dry, due West of the above trees. There are 4 to 5 fathoms to the Eastward of this reef, but no person, without being well acquainted with the coast, ought to attempt the passage inside. From seaward the North end of the neck of sand ought to be brought to bear S.E. ½ E., when it can be steered for, and passed within 50 yards, carrying 3 to 4 fathoms, sand.

Very good anchorage in the S.W. Monsoon may also be found under the lee of Kodramallai Point, in 8° 32′ North latitude, and 79° 56′ East longitude, which may be known by the three long hills seen over the low land of Karateevo. In steering for this anchorage, the North end of the hills ought to be kept about E. by S. till well past the island, when the anchor may be let go in 2½ to 3½ fathoms, sand, with the rocky promontory bearing S.S.W. to S.W., ½ to 1½ mile off.

No Vessels ought to proceed on the Ceylon side further towards the head of the Gulf than this, as there are many shoal places at some distance from the shore, and no good holding ground. In the S.W. Monsoon a strong current is found setting to the Northward over Adam's bridge, which abates as the Indian coast is approached; and a confused sea is generally found to prevail near Manaar.

The Eastern entrance to Paumben is in 9° 15′ 30″ North latitude, and 79° 17′ East longitude. Some small islets are situated at the East end of the reef, between which and the island of Ramisseram the channel leads. A pole has lately been erected on the Northern limit of the shoal water inside these islets, between which and Ramisseram deep water is to be found. The south end of the cut through the horse-shoe bank, by which Vessels have to pass in going through the Paumben channel, bears from this pole E. by N.

A fixed light has lately been exhibited at Paumben, seen 11 to 12 miles off in clear weather, respecting which directions have been separately published, and which are recommended to the notice of Mariners frequenting the port.

The Western entrance to Paumben is situated in 9° 9′ North latitude, and 78° 40′ East Longitude, lying between Valinookam Point, on the Main coast of India, and the small island of Anapaar, which last must not be approached nearer than a mile till the South end bears South of East.

The passage will then be entered, when a straight course for Keelakarry at N.E. by E. may be kept, care being taken to avoid some reefs nearly awash which lie off Erawaddy Point, the easternmost limit of the deep bay opposite the entrance just described. Five and six fathoms will be found at this entrance, shoaling to 3 farther in, with an occasional cast of 2¼, sand. The best anchorage at Keelakarry is in 2¾ to 3 fathoms, stiff mud, with a detatched ruin East of the town bearing North, and some large terraced houses N.W. Pilots here come on board to take vessels to Paumben, which lies 26 miles farther to the Eastward; but should a Vessel proceed without such assistance, the following directions, must be followed.

Steer for a little outside the next Point (Naagimundel) till a small tope between a hillock at the mouth of a rivulet and an old ruined temple bears North. Then stand across about S.E. ½ E. for a little outside the West end of the next island (Talliari). This leads over the deepest part of a spit in 2¼ fathoms, with 7 feet on each side, where a buoy will shortly be moored to indicate the channel. Two bungalows at the next Point on the Main will now be seen, and when they bear N.E. ½ E. steer E.N.E. till they are passed, when due East will take a Vessel to the buoys on each side of the passage at Ramasawmy's Choultry. To avoid a sandy knoll with only 7 feet over it, the Southern of these buoys ought to bear E. by N. when about ¼ mile off; and after passing between them steer about East, for a high beacon erected on a patch of rocks. Leaving this 50 to 100 yards to the Southward, stand on for the North end of the next island, Pulleeteevo, and round it at about ¼ mile off, keeping E.N.E. till the opening between Pulleeteevo and the next Island bears South; then steer East, and

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anchor near the sand bank channel which has a buoy to mark its position. No Vessel drawing more than 8½ feet ought to attempt this navigation without a Keelakarry Pilot.

Tuticoreen Light is in 8° 47′ 17″ North latitude, and 78° 14′ 1″ East longitude. The following are the directions respecting it before adverted to.

A Vessel making the Port at night may anchor with it bearing from W. N. W. to W. by S. about 1¾ to 2 miles off shore, where good holding ground will be found in 6 to 6½ fathoms. At 3½ miles distance with the same bearings the ground is foul, on Pearl banks.

In approaching from the South, the light may be kept about N. N. W. till within 3 or 4 miles, when the above anchorage may be selected; but should a Vessel suddenly deepen her water from 7 or 8 fathoms to 12, 15, or 20, she should immediately steer North till she makes the light, taking care to keep further to seaward if it bears North of N. N .W. The outer part of this deep water lies a little to the North of the head of the Coilnapatam reef, and bears S. by E. 10 miles from the Tuticoreen Light.

From the North a Vessel may keep the light about S. W. till within 3 or 4 miles, when she must steer more out for the anchorage; but in no instance ought the water to be shoaled under 6½ fathoms, excepting with the bearings on for the anchorage, and then not under 6.

In the N. E. Monsoon Vessels should lie with a good scope of cable out, as although the seas are not heavy, they are sharp, and occasion a chain to jerk. The sea breeze at this time blows on the reef, and a second anchor, with chain ranged, ought always to be kept ready for letting go.

In the S. W. Monsoon, which usually lasts from the middle of May to the middle of August, the Port may be made without fear, for although the winds are very violent, they are invariably off shore from W. to S.W. accompanied by smooth water. At this time Vessels may approach the reef to 5 fathoms; but should always have a stream anchor to seaward, as occasionally, during the lulls of the Monsoon, a light air comes in from the Eastward.

As a rule, Vessels of size ought not to approach the land above Tuticoreen nearer than 6 or 7 miles, as 2½ or 3 fathoms are found 5 miles off in some places. When some large clumpy trees at Putnurmadoor, seen 10 miles off, and when no other object on shore is visible, bear North of West, the shoal water is to the Northward.

There are two channels for small craft into Tuticoreen harbour, but that to the North is so intricate as to be seldom used. The Southern one leads between the southernmost island and the mainland, the reef connecting them being crossed in 12 to 14 feet at distance of ½ to 1½ mile of the island. This being passed, a course may be steered for Devil's Point on the Main, after closely rounding which a small Vessel may stand direct for the town of Tuticoreen, carrying 11 to 9 feet. Before passing Devil's Point 2½ fathoms are found, sand and mud.

At the distance of 2½ miles due East of the Pennacoil tope, a scanty tope to the south of a large ruined building, 9 miles from Devil's Point, is situated the inner edge of an extraordinary natural basin in the rocks, 4½ miles East and West, and averaging 1¼ miles in breadth: the outer part being the broadest and deepest. The bottom is composed of fine sand and mud, in 7 fathoms on the Western, to 18 and 20 fathoms on the Eastern extreme, from which it suddenly shoals to 9, 8, and 7½ fathoms on a Pearl bank. In standing up the coast during the night with a scant wind, this is good ground for ascertaining a Vessel's position, as no similar spot exists from Paumben to Comorin. From the outer part, in 15 to 20 fathoms, the anchorage off Tuticoreen bears N. by E. 9½ miles.

Good anchorage in 3 to 4 fathoms, mud, with this tope bearing West 1 to 1½ mile, is to be found here during the Southerly winds under the lee of a reef which commences 2½ miles N. E. by N. of the next point (Coilnapatnam), and continues with little exception to Cape Comorin. As far as Manapaud Point this reef varies in its distance from the land from 1 to 2¾ miles, but thence to Comorin it seldom exceeds ½ a mile. The head of this reef lies S. by W. 10½ miles from Tuticoreen Light.

Trichendore Point, in 8° 29′ 55″ North latitude, and 78° 9′ 51″ East longitude, is 18 miles S. by W. Westerly of Tuticoreen Light, and may be known by its having a high dark Pagoda on its extremity, seen in ordinary weather 12 to 18 miles off.

Manapaud Point, situated 8½ miles S. S. W. ½ W. of the Trichendore Pagoda, is a high sandy promontory jutting out boldly into the sea. It has a small white-washed Church on its summit, visible in clear weather 12 to 13 miles off, which appears at first like a ship under sail. Some foul ground in 4 to 10 fathoms is

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situated off this point, extending E. N. E. and W. S. W. 10 miles, with an average breadth of 1 mile.

The following are the bearings of the two shoalest parts:—

Inner shoal part.

Manapaud Church.....N. 54° W. 5 miles
Trichendore Pagoda.....N. 1° W. 10½ „ } 4½ fathoms sand.

Central shoal part.

Manapaud Church.....N. 54° W. 8 miles
Trichendore Pagoda.....N. 12° W. 12½ „ } 4 fathoms sand.

There are many other patches with 5½ and 6 fathoms over which Vessels might pass, yet the safest plan when going between the reef and the Point is not to bring the Church to the West of North till within 2 or 3 miles of it. An E. N. E. course will then take a Vessel out clear.

Cape Comorin, which is placed by Colonel Lambton in his Trigonometrical survey in 8° 4′ 35″ North latitude, and 77° 34′ 46″ East longitude, rises in a gradual slope, is covered on the East side with Palmyra trees, and may be easily distinguished by the reddish appearance of the soil, and a large white Choultry situated near the beach. Two large rocks with a small one outside, on which the sea at all times breaks with much violence, stretch to the distance of ¼ mile from the shore. They are steep to and may with a fair wind be approached within ¼ mile in 8 or 8½ fathoms, but with scant wind caution is necessary, as the current sets rapidly round the Point, and may drift a vessel into danger.

The breezes in the Gulf of Manaar are generally stronger than the adjacent coasts, the only moderate months being April and October; yet if the instructions already given be attended to, no difficulty will be found in working up or down against them. The N. E. Monsoon sets in with force about the middle of November, and lasts till the end of January, bringing with it a current of from 20 to 30 miles a day to the S. W. It blows steadily from N. N. E. along the Indian shore, but on the opposite side is modified into land and sea breezes, with very fine weather. In February land and sea breezes commence on the Indian side; and by April the general set of the wind in the Gulf will be found to have drawn round to the Southward, the sea breezes being S. E. to S. W., according to the coast on which they prevail. These now increase in force till about the middle of May, when the regular S. W. Monsoon sets in, blowing with great violence from W. S. W. on the Indian coast, and S. W. on the Ceylon coast, where it commences rather earlier, and is attended with heavy falls of rain, thunder and lightning. In August the strength of the Monsoon abates, but strong Southerly winds are still experienced in this and the next month, becoming lighter as the season advances. Variable and gentle breezes, with smooth water, may usually be expected in October, lasting till the setting in of the N. E. Monsoon, which is ushered in on the Indian side by 15 or 20 days of heavy rain.

The current will generally be found to set with the wind in the strength of the Monsoons; but this is not invariably the case. Care and attention must therefore be paid to the soundings, and unless a good Pilot be on board, a Vessel ought not to shoal her water during the night to less than 12 fathoms above or 18 or 20 fathoms below Manapaud on the Indian coast; or to less than 10 fathoms above and 20 below Colombo, increasing the depth to 40 till abreast of Point de Galle on the Ceylon coast; excepting of course her position be ascertained by the bearing of the light at Tuticoreen or Colombo.

Average high water occurs at 1 p. m. on full and change—ordinary rise and fall 18 to 24 inches—at springs 30 to 36 inches. The flood sets in about E. N. E., and the ebb about S. W., but their direction is greatly influenced by the wind. The variation of the compass may be stated at about 1° Easterly.

All the above longitudes are calculated on the assumption of the Galle Flagstaff being in 80° 16′ East.

JOHN J. FRANKLIN,
Late in charge of the Manaar Survey.

Madras, May 21st 1846.

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PAUMBEN LIGHT HOUSE.

The facilities for the passage of Vessels through the channels at Paumben, having been considerably increased of late, the following notice is published for general information :—

Paumben Light House is in
Latitude 9° 17′ 30″ N.
Longitude 79° 12′ 34″ E.
Assuming Galle Light to be in 80° 14′ 20″ E.

The light is placed on a column erected on a Hill to the Eastward of the Town of Paumben, is 84 feet above the level of the Sea, and in ordinary weather should be seen from the deck of a small craft, such as usually navigate the Gulf of Manaar and Palks Bay, from 11 to 12 miles off.

In making Paumben from the North during the night, Vessels may run for the light bearing S. W. to E. S. E., keeping rather out in coming from the Eastward, if under 6 fathoms, as the water shoals suddenly after that depth is obtained off the coast of Ramisseram.

The best anchorage is with the light bearing from S. E. ½ E. to E. S. E., ½ mile to 1 mile off, in 3½ to 4 fathoms, sand and mud, good holding ground. The Northern entrance to the Channel, which is indicated by a Black Buoy, will then be from ¼ to ½ mile off.

In approaching during the night from the South, care must be taken to avoid the 2 Fathom Rock, from which the light bears N. 14° W. 17 miles, and which has 3½ to 5 fathoms in its immediate neighbourhood. If from the Westward, a vessel ought to bring the light North, and run with that bearing till about 5 miles off, which, after taking her over a rocky ledge having 3½ to 5½ fathoms on, will place her in 5½ to 6½ fathoms, mud and sand, about 1½ mile from the reef extending Westward from the shingle Islets. She may then steer N. E. by E. ½ E., till the light bears N. W. by W., when she can run for it till in smooth water, and anchor in 4 to 5 fathoms, sand and mud, between the land and shingle Islets before mentioned.

If the light is made from the Eastward, a vessel ought to keep it N. N. W. ½ W., edging out or to the North a little as she shoals her water to 4 fathoms, to avoid the shingle Islets, the Eastern end of the Reef off which bears from the light S. 24° E. 3¼ miles. She may then anchor as before. This course would take her very near a patch of rock with 3 fathoms on, but as the Craft using the Channel are of light draught, no fear need be entertained of striking on it.

These instructions for the South Entrance are intended for the use of Vessels nearing the Port during the S. W. Monsoon, In the N. E. Monsoon the Island of Ramisseram, which may be approached on this side to within a cable's length, becoming a weather shore, the water is sufficiently smooth to allow of Vessels anchoring anywhere, and the bearings above given clearly shew the dangers to be avoided.

The least water in the Paumben Channel at the lowest spring tide is 8½ feet, but as the average rise on this is 26 to 28 inches, and in October, November and December, 30 to 36, and at times even 42 inches, Vessels drawing 10 feet can safely make use of it. Native Pilots are always ready to carry Vessels through; and to obviate any inconvenience which might be felt by Commanders unable to speak their language, a Hindoo-Briton is employed as Head Pilot, whose services will be always available.

By order of the Marine Board,
JOHN J. FRANKLIN, Secretary.

Madras, Marine Board Office,
23rd April 1852.

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LATITUDES AND LONGITUDES.

Place.	Lat.	Long.	Remarks.
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Madras Observatory		80 15 57	
Colombo Flag Staff	6 56 6	79 51 58	The Latitude is the mean from 348 altitudes, taken at Mr. Templeton's house, and reduced to the Flag Staff. The Longitude is derived from that of Madras, and other well fixed positions on the Coast, from runs of the *Melville Curassao Benares* and *Royal Tiger*. A comparison of very exact observations made during the year 1840 has required the Longitude formerly given to be increased 6″.
Negombo Fort	7 12 34	79 52 52	Recent observations.
Chilaw	7 34	79 38 10	Approximate.
Putlam	8 2 50	79 55 48	Recent observations.
Calpentyn	8 14 45	79 49 58	Do.
Dutch Bay	8 18 15	79 47 26	Do.
Mutwal Point	8 18 53		The extreme north point at the entrance to Dutch Bay. Mr. Quintom
Kadremalle Point	8 32 27	79 53 39	Mr. Quintom.
Aripo	8 47 56	79 56 53	The Fort lodge (old ruins) Mr. Quintom.
Carativo	8 30 41	79 49 39	Northern extremity, sandy point. Lt. Powell.
Manaar Channel		79 54 44	Western south entrance. Lt. Powell.
Manaar	8 58 42	79 56 12	South east end of the Fort. Lt. Powell.
Paumban Flag Staff	9 17 1	79 13 59	Recent observations—Lat. 9° 17′ 5″. Lt. Powell.
Ramisseram	9 18 7	79 19 41	The Great Pagoda. Reduced from the operations of the Great Trigonometrical Survey of India.
Delft	9 32 0	79 44 8	The old Dutch House. Lt. Powell.
Jaffna	9 39 54	80 3 13	Recent observations.
Amsterdam Island	9 43 50	79 51 14	N. W. point. Longitude deduced from that of Trincomalie, Mr. Higgs.
Point Calymere	10 18 30	79 51 32	Near the most eastern Bungalow. Lt. Powell.
Tondemanaar	9 48 6	80 11 21	Searcher's House. Eastern side of the inlet. Latitude measured from Point Pedro. Longitude deduced from that of Trincomalie, Mr. Higgs.
Point Palmyra	9 50 10	80 14 47	North eastern point of Ceylon.

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Place.	Lat.	Long.	Remarks.
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Point Pedro (Harbour)	9 50 29	80 6 43	Lat. observed, Long. deduced from that of Trincomalie, Mr. Higgs: Long: 80° 16′ 43″. Recent observations.
Moelativo House	9 14 4	80 51 5	By bearing and estimated distance from the shoal. Mr. Higgs.
Moelativo Shoal	9 14 50	80 53 29	Eastern edge. Lat. observed, Long. from Trincomalie. Mr. Higgs.
Trincomalie	8 35 38	81 16 37	Fort Frederick Flag Staff. Mr. Higgs.
	8 33 31	81 15 21	Dock yard Flag Staff. Mr. Higgs. Lat. 8° 33′ 26″. Lt. Powell. The Longitude must be considered very nearly exact. The Latitude is derived from the mean of very consistent observations.
Foul Point	8 32 22	81 21 3	By measurement. Mr. Higgs.
Venloos Bay	8 0	81 37 10	Approximate.
Friar's Hood	7 28	81 42 10	Do.
Komene Aar	6 31 10	81 47 20	The entrance to Kombochan River.
Little Basses	6 25 40	81 50 4	Centre of the group. Derived from the survey made in 1826 by H.M.S. *Tamar*.
—— Point	6 28 40	81 46 5	The nearest point of land to the Little Basses.
Elephant Rock	6 23 48	81 30 30	A conspicuous object, a little inland.
Great Basses	6 12 0	81 31 4	Longitude given by Mr. Higgs, being 15′ 43″ E. of Trincomalie Dock yard.
Amedowe Point	6 17 10	81 27 5	The nearest land to the Great Basses.
Batticaloa	7 40 47	81 43 51	Fort. Latitude reduced from the observed Latitude of the Harbour mouth. The Longitude from that of Trincomalie. Mr. Higgs.
	7 43 32	81 43 34	Harbour mouth. Latitude observed. Mr. Higgs.
Hambantotte	6 6 58	81 8 59	Mr. Twynam. The Longitude being altered to suit the amended Longitude of Galle.
Calamatra Bay	6 4 7	80 57 17	Do.
Mahawelle Bay	5 59 30	80 46 34	Do.
Tangalle	6 1 16	80 49 7	Do.
Nillewelle Bay	5 57 37	80 44 40	Do.
Gandore	5 55 42	80 38 49	Do.
Dondra Head	5 55 15	80 37 9	Do.

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Place.	Lat.	Long.	Remarks.
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Matura	5 56 26	80 34 26	Mr. Twynam. The Longitude being altered to suit the amended Longitude of Galle.
Belligam Bay	5 57 30	80 27 39	Do.
Dodandowe Bay	6 6 47	80 8 43	Do.
Galle	6 1 40	80 14 28	The Longitude formerly allotted to Galle, which was deduced from numerous runs of the *Royal Tiger* and *Benares*, has been encreased 12″ to suit more recent observations, and a more careful comparison of those formerly collected.
Bentotte	6 24 41	79 52 21	Rest House.
Barberyn Island	6 27 40	79 59 20	
Caltura Fort	6 35 1	79 59 6	Approximate.
Pantura	6 42 51	79 55 24	Do.
Pantura Rock	6 42 2	79 54 41	
Mt. Lavinia House	6 50 0	79 53 10	By bearing and measured distance from Colombo.

The Longitude of Madras has been taken from the table at p. 606 of the Nautical Almanac for the year 1854, and as this differs 2′ 10″ from that given in the Ceylon Almanacs for former years, it has been necessary to add this difference to the longitudes of the places included in the table.

The Officers of Her Majesty's Navy, and the Masters of Merchant Vessels, are earnestly requested to forward, under cover to the Colonial Secretary, any information they may collect, which can tend to increase the accuracy, or extend the limits of the preceding Table.

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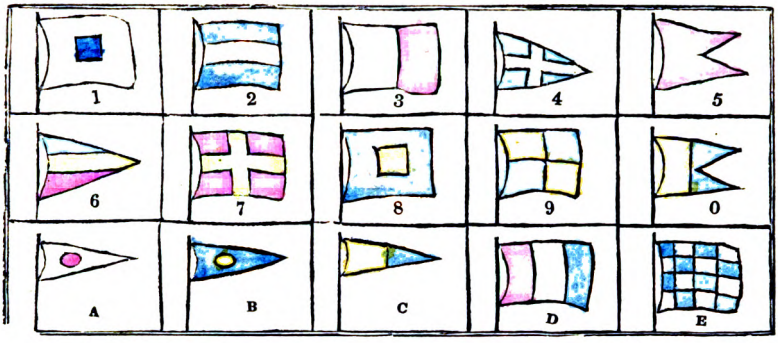
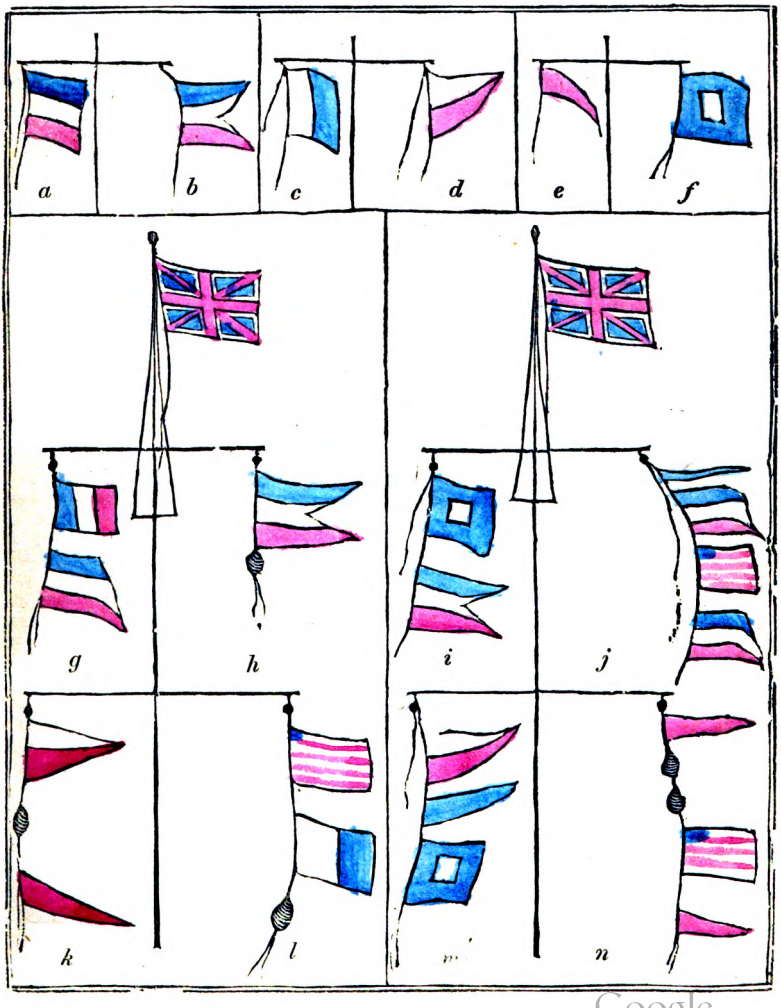


Code of Local Signals, for notifying the approach of Vessels at the Flag Staff of Colombo.



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Shipping Intelligence.—Signals.

Figures 1 to 0 the same as in Marryatt's Code of Signals.
A. First distinguishing Pennant.
B. Second distinguishing Pennant.
C. Numeral Pennant.
D. Telegraph.
E. Rendezvouz.

LOCAL SIGNALS—COLOMBO.

a, Ship; *b*, Barque; *c*, Brig; *d*, Schooner; *e*, Sloop, cutter, or boat; *f*, Steamer; 3 masted at upper yard, 2 masted at lower yard; *g*, one French Ship; *h*, two Barques; *i*, one masted Steamer and a Barque; *j*, one Ship and an American Ship, both of War; *k*, two Schooners and a Sloop; *l*, two American Brigs; *m*, one Schooner and a two masted Steamer of War; *n*, 3 Sloops and an American Schooner.

GENERAL MEMORANDUM.

1. The upper yard is used for notifying the approach of three masted vessels only.
2. Square flags represent ships and brigs; swallow-tailed, barques; and pendants, schooners and sloops.
3. The number of masts in the vessel approaching, corresponds with the number of colours in the flag.
4. Foreign ships are known by the national colour hoisted above the flag denoting the nature of the vessel.
5. A blue pennant over a flag signifies a ship of war, over the national colour a foreign one.
6. Balls only denote the number of vessels of the same kind in sight, they are *never* hoisted above the flag they belong to: one denotes two, two three, &c.

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7. A white pendant pierced with a red ball hoisted on the mast head indicates the Pigeon, or the arrival of the English Mail at Point de Galle; and a white flag pierced with a red ball indicates the arrival of the English Mail at Colombo.

LOCAL SIGNALS—TRINCOMALIE.

Blue Swallow Tail flag . . .	Strange Sail.
Blue Pendant . . .	Ship or Barque.
Red do. . . .	Brig.
White do. . . .	Schooner.
Black Ball . . .	Cutter.
2 Black Balls . . .	Steam Vessel.
Union Jack over Blue Pendant . .	Ship of the line.
Union Jack over Red Pendant . .	Frigate.
Union Jack over White Pendant . .	Sloop of War.
Union Jack over two Balls . .	War Steamer.
Union Jack over one Ball . .	Ship in Offing requires a Pilot.

When two or more vessels of the same rig are in sight the proper numeral flag over the Pendant or Balls will shew the number of Vessels.

4910 What ship is that?
3491 Shew your number.
3248 Name unknown.
3267 What nation do you belong to?
3915 Was the port you left healthy?
3760 What passage have you had?
3765 What passengers have you?
1326 What does your cargo consist of?
1304 Is the Captain on board?
1057 Send a boat on shore.
7138 Are there any people on board of her?
964 Have you a clean bill of health from whence you came?
5018 Have you many sick on board?

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Arrivals in 1854.

COLOMBO.

JANUARY 2—Barque John Patchett, W. Stapledon, from Sydney, in ballast.
Barque Thomas Dryden, Joseph Brown, from Aden—Passengers, W. Steward and James Cameron.
9—Ship Dispatch, John David, from Galle, in ballast.
10—Barque Dahlia, C. Hodgson, from Galle, cargo general.
14—Barque Aries, J. B. Kennedy, from Port Philip—Passengers, Mr. W. Stewart and servant.
16—Barque Bonanza, J. Burnett, from Port Philip and Galle—Passenger, Mrs. Burnett.
17—Ship Annie Fisher, J. Edwards, from Tutucoreen, cargo Cotton and sundries.
18—Ship Agra, F. F. Maclean, from Port Adelaide and Galle, in ballast—Passengers, Mrs. Maclean and Miss Smith.
Barque Fatal Rahamado, Nassur, from Singapore, cargo sundries.
19—Ship Glendaragh, G. M. Smith, from Singapore, cargo general—Passengers, Master Smith, 23 Arabs for Bombay, and 44 Moormen for Colombo.
24—Brig Gallant, W. Black from Calcutta, cargo Gunnies and Sugar.
29—Barque Skimmer of the Seas, Thomas Mann, from Tutucoreen, cargo Cotton and sundries.
Barque Fanny Chapman, C. Cunningham, from Liverpool, cargo general—Passengers, J. Fergusson and John Mickle.

FEBRUARY 1—Barque Fortescue C. MacKay, from Bombay, cargo general—Passengers, B. Harrison, G. Rutherford, W. Scott, W. Tushay, J. Sampson and 22 steerage.
10—Barque Westbrooke, J. Fonrose, from London, cargo general—Passenger, Mr. A. H. Davidson.
Barque Martin Luther, K. Ross, from Sydney, in ballast.
15—Ship Lydia, W. R. Graves, from Liverpool, cargo general—Passenger, Mr. J. Glenie.
18—Barque Midlothian, J. Gibson, from Swan River, in ballast.
21—Barque Leander, R. Anderson, from Mauritius, cargo Coals.
22—French Barque Jean Louis, E. Durain, from Bordeaux, in ballast.
23—French Ship Maria Eliza, F. J. Hobkirk, from Pondicherry, in ballast.
Barque Harbinger, R. D. Davison, from Galle, cargo Coir and Oil.
24—French Barque Monarque, E. D. Despois, from Galle, in ballast.

MARCH 3—Barque Semiramis, E. L. Milbank, from Port Philip, in ballast.
5—Ship Lydia, W. B. Greaves, from Galle, in ballast—Passenger, Mr. Milne.
Barque Tynemouth, James Cooper, from Galle, cargo, Oil and Coir.
6—Barque Magellan, J. J. Jones, from Sydney, in ballast.
Barque Lady Sandys, H. Pentreath, from Port Adelaide, in ballast.
7—Steamer Ganges, R. B. Baker, from Bombay—Passengers, Mr. Geddes and servant, and Mr. Yail.
9—Ship Duke of Wellington, John Smith, from Sydney, in ballast.
21—Barque Persia, J. Peterkin, from Port Philip, in ballast—Passenger, Mr. Grant.
24—Barque Wm. Brown, R. Bainton, from Hobart Town, in ballast.
26—Barque David Malcolm, A. Sinclair, from Port Adelaide, in ballast.
30—Hamburg Barque Carl, S. Peterson, from Galle, in ballast.

APRIL 2—Barque Chinsura, J. S. Winchester, from Aden, in ballast.
3—Schooner Guardian, J. W. Webber, from Melbourne, in ballast.
10—Barque Flying Dragon, J. G. Carter, from Galle, in ballast.
12—Ship Crystal Palace, W. Linton, from Hobart Town, in ballast.
14—Barque Agrippina, W. Rodgers, from London, cargo general.
18—French Barque St. Andre, G. Bronkhorst, from Galle in ballast.
21—Dutch Barque Ouderneming, J. Johansen, from Simon's Bay, in ballast.

MAY 2—Ship Marion, E. P. Byrne, from Melbourne, in ballast.
13—Barque Carl, S. Peterson, from Cochin, cargo Cocoanut-oil.
14—Ship Stag, H. W. Clarke, from Galle, in ballast.
Ship Chimera, A. Mackennie, from Galle, in ballast—Passengers, Mrs. Mackennie and child.
17—Ship Marian, J. Ryrie, from Trincomalie, cargo timber—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Walton and 3 children, 1 corporal, R. A., 1 private, 15th Regiment, and 4 privates, C. R. R.
19—Barque Corsair's Bride, W. Williams, from London—Passengers, W. D. Ross, D. Trotter and H. Clarke, cargo general.

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21—Brig Daring, J. L. Parker, from Melbourne, in ballast.
23—Ship Euphrates, C. J. Beharell, from Sydney, in ballast—Passenger, E. Bertrand.
27—Ship Sea Park, T. Spedding, from Freemantle, in ballast—Passenger, Dr. Caldwell, R. N.

JUNE 1—Ship Marion, C. P. Byrne, from Cochin, cargo Oil and Coir—Passengers, Messrs. J. Nicholson and J. Sim.
12—Barque Sultan, W. Appleby, from Aden, in ballast.
Barque Flying Dragon, J. G. Corten, from Cochin, cargo Oil.
Barque Steadfast, T. Spencer, from Port Adelaide, in ballast.
17—Barque Morning Star, J. Clarke, from London, cargo general—Passengers, Mr. L. Bird, Miss Bird, and Mrs. Harris.
26—Barque Sir James Ross, T. Jones, from London, cargo general.
30—Barque Jemima, G. Freywer, from Sydney, cargo empty casks.

JULY 2—Brig Ægir, D. B. Burns, from Port Adelaide—Passengers, Messrs. J. Grey and C. W. Droper.
4—Barque Minx, E. Marshall, from Cochin, cargo Oil and Coir.
5—Barque Ellen Rawson, J. Saddler, from Mauritius, in ballast.
Barque Camilla, O. Boyle, from Sydney and Batavia, in ballast—Passenger, Mrs. Boyle.
Barque Wreath, J. Dickson, from Liverpool, cargo general.
7—Ship Rock City, T. Cubbins, from Bombay—Passengers, Miss Calmay, Mr. MacLachlan and Mr. Butcher.
11—Barque Maid of Auckland, G. A. Clarke, from Port Louis, in ballast.
15—French Barque Victoria, E. Cannevo, from Pt. de Galle, in ballast.
16—Ship Duke of Portland, G. F. Seymour, from Singapore, cargo general.
20—Brig Hellespont, G. Cooper, from Tutucoreen, in ballast.
23—Brig Herminie, W. Fox, from Melbourne, cargo Brandy and Gin.
25—Dutch Ship General Vanden Bosch, F. Parlervetsz, from Galle, in ballast.
28—French Ship Malvina Cæzard, Lebesque, from Galle, in ballast.
29—Barque Travancore, T. Brown, from Swan River, in ballast—Passenger, Mr. Mark Dyett.
30—Barque Pearl, A. Hill, from Port Philip.

AUGUST 1—German Barque Julie, J. H. C. Barkorn, from London, cargo general—Passengers, Messrs. J. Barry and J. Schruky.
11—Barque Sumatra, W. Johnson, from Port Philip, in ballast.
21—Barque Heath, W. Wrightman, from Port Natal.
30—Barque Morayshire, R. E. Brodie, for London, from Bombay, was burnt about 250 miles west of this Port.

SEPTEMBER 10—Barque Pearl, A. Hill, from Tutucoreen, cargo Cotton.
Barque Ouda, A. Nainn, from Liverpool, cargo general.

OCTOBER 5—Barque Julindar, G. Bilton, from Mauritius, in ballast.
6—Barque Trafalgar, G. Richardson, from Port Adelaide, in ballast.
7—Ship Merchantman, John Grey, from Bombay—Passengers, Lieut. Lewis, Dr. Leech, Rev. W. R. and Mrs. Hume, Captain and Mrs. Thomas, cargo Cotton.
8—Barque Ramillies, C. Hoddie, from Freemantle—Passenger, D. Ritchie, Surgeon, R.N.
17—Schooner Kossuth, J. Sloan, from Melbourne, in ballast.
19—French Barque Jane Bart, Dalpech, from Carical, in ballast.
20—Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, from Bombay, cargo general, bound to Galle and HongKong—Passengers, Mahamadoo Hadjee, Solehany Abdul, Latiff Camoo, Messrs. Fairlie and R. Russel, Captain and Mrs. Robson, Mr. Ellis, Capt. Stead and Lieutenant Heathcoat.
25—American Ship Union, E. Pitt, from Calcutta, cargo general—Passenger, G. G. Bancroft.
26—Barque Constance, D. Smith, from Galle, cargo Oil, Coir, Plumbago and Cowries.
27—Barque Minx, A. Cow, from Calcutta, cargo general.
Barque Nil Desperandum, J. Eastway, from Galle, in ballast.
Barque Indian Chief, M. Sinclair, from Port Philip, in ballast.
Ship Owen Glendower, W. H. Pare, from Portsmouth, cargo general—Passengers, Mrs. Col. Oliver, Mrs. Cummins, Mrs. Ussher, Mrs. Swinburne, Mrs. Hurst, Miss N. and E. Oliver, Mrs. Prior, Misses Anderson, Baynau, Rutherford and Baker, Captain U. F. Ussher, 87th Regt., Captain Coleridge, 20th Regt. M.I., the Rev. Mr. Cummins, Dr. Williams, J. Webb, Esq., Mr. Willoughby, Cadet, Mrs. Baynau, Mr. W. F. Hewison, I.N; Steerage, Mrs. Duggan, Mrs. Hayden and child, Mrs. Byrnes, Mrs. Curran, Mrs. Hall, E. Rutherford, John Hagan, Benjamin Hurst, 2

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Ayahs and 1 native, 65 men, 2 women and 1 child, H. M. 37th Regt., Lieutenant Brown in charge of the Troops, and Dr. Thompson, Asst. Surgeon of the Ceylon Rifles.

29—Ship Investigator, J. Smith, from Sydney, in ballast.
30—Brig Hermine, W. Fox, from Cochin, cargo Oil and sundries.

NOVEMBER 1—Ship Symmetry, W. Richardson, from London, cargo general—Passenger, Nicholas Abrahams.
3—Ship Tulloch Castle, W. C. Mitchell, from Port Philip, in ballast.
6—Barque Sumatra, W. Johnson, from Cochin, cargo Oil and Coir—Passengers, Mrs. Smith, Miss Caulfeild, Mr. E. G. Darley and Mr. Smith.
8—Schooner Sarah Armitage, E. Towle, from Tutucoreen, cargo Cotton.
Brig North Star, E. H. Petersz, from Madras, in ballast.
12—Barque Elizabeth, W. W. Beenlen, from Clyde, cargo general—Passengers, John Walker and David Todd.
15—Barque Belle Vue, A. Brown, from London, cargo general—Passengers, Messrs. B. Lindsay and V. Church.
Barque Harbinger, G. R. Fentie, from Melbourne, in ballast.
16—Barque P. C. E., F. G. Sweetman, from Hobart Town, cargo Coals and Gin.
Barque Ramillies, C. Hoddie, from Cochin, cargo Oil and Coir—Passenger, Dr. Ritchie, R .N.
French Barque Solidor, P. L. Menis, from Galle, in ballast.
18—Barque Chandernagore, O. F. A. Edwards, from Cochin, cargo Oil and Coir.
Ship John Wright, W. Stewart, from Hobart Town, in ballast.
19—Schooner Go Forward, John Lewis, from Geelong, in ballast.
22—Barque Island Queen, R. Skeock, from Aden, in ballast.
25—Ship Beverly, B. F. Case, from Calcutta, cargo Rice, Sugar and Gunnies.
Ship Kingstown, R. C. Weeks, from Hobart Town, in ballast—Passenger, Mrs. Weeks.
Barque Tyne, J. Mackey, from Galle, cargo Coir.
Ship Navarino, T. Story, from Adelaide, in ballast..
Barque Nepaulese Ambassador, A. Burns, from Port Adelaide, in ballast—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Abcott.

DECEMBER 2—Barque Trafalgar, G. Richardson, from Cochin, cargo Oil & sundries—Passenger, E. Ormiston, Esq.
8—Barque Newcastle, J. Reed, from Galle, cargo general.
12—Barque Prince of Wales, J. Rippon, from Launceston, in ballast.
French Ship Le Georges de Courson, C. A. Belard, from Calcutta, cargo Rice&sundries.
15—French Barque Monarque, E. D. Desbois, from Nantes, in ballast.
16—Steamer Eaglet, W. Stewart, from Bombay, cargo general—Passengers, Miss Pelly and J. H. Pelly, Esq.
20—Brig Hope, W. Alderson, from Glasgow, cargo general—Passenger, Mr. R. Kydd.
French Barque Camoens, P. Parquet, from Galle, in ballast.
22—Barque Philo, G. Golightly, from Aden, in ballast.
23—Schooner Sarah Armitage, E. Towle, from Cochin, cargo Oil and Rice.
26—Barque Pestongee Bomanjie, E. Montgomery, from Adelaide, in ballast.
30—Barque Armais, A. Lock, from London, cargo general—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Caley, Messrs. C. and W. Warrington.

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JANUARY 2—Barque Honor, T. C. Row, from Liverpool, cargo Coals.
6—Barque Bonanza, J. Burnett, from Port Philip, in ballast.
Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. Dawson.
7—Steamer Hindostan, H. Harris, from Suez and Aden—Passengers, Misses Johnstone and Simons, Mr. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Ranken, Mr. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Wise, and Mr. Fernando.
10—Dutch Ship Delpt, H. Arket, from Swansea, cargo Patent fuel.
11—Steamer Singapore, C. Evans, from Hong Kong, Singapore and Penang, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lords Henry Scott and Schomburg Kerr, Rev. Stobart and servant, Mrs. Sadler, Captains MacDonald and Campsie, Lieutenants Fraser and Long, 142 men, 8 women and 11 children, C. R. R.
Hamburg Brig Carl Ritter, T. Lubbe, from Swansea, cargo Coals.
Barque Patriot King, shewed her number in passing to the Westward.
12—French Barque Madras, J. J. Daigre, from Cardiff, cargo Coals.
Hamburg Barque Julia, D. Steen, from Hartlepool, cargo Coals.

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Ship Agra, F. F. Maclean, from Port Adelaide, in ballast—Passengers, Mrs. Maclean and Miss Smith.

13—Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, from Calcutta and Madras—Passengers, Mr. Tottenham and servant and Gutta Mosa.

Steamer Indiana, G. P. Lambert, from Southampton, St. Vincent, Ascension, Cape of Good Hope and Mauritius, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Hancock, Mr. Sternker, Mr. Lovell and servant.

21—H. M. S. Fox, J. W. Tarleton, from Bombay, bound to Cape of Good Hope and England.

22—Steamer Chusan, H. Down, from Bombay, in ballast—Passengers, Messrs. Mendes and Macaulay.

Steamer Bengal, J. Bowen, from Suez and Aden, cargo sundries—Passengers, Asst. Surgeon Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. Desbassayes and servant, and Mrs. Mirus.

23—Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Dr. and Miss Donaldson and Mr. Cance.

Ship Burlington, from Bombay, bound to China, cargo Cotton.

Steamer Hydaspes. H. B. Benson, from Calcutta and Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Sinclair and child.

French Ship Margaret, J. Bourdase, from Swansea, with Coals.

26—Steamer Pottinger, J. H. Stead, from HongKong, Penang and Singapore, cargo sundries—Passengers, Captain and Mrs. Holworthy, Lieutenants Gray, Cox and Gorman, 97 men, 13 women and 14 children, C. R. R., Mr. Stretana, 3 children and servant and 1 private.

28—Steamer Bombay, W. J. Tregear, from Calcutta and Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Ouchterlony.

30—Ship Adelaide, E. Pavey, from London, cargo sundries—Passengers, Captain Dorell, Ensigns Packenham and Richardson, Asst. Surgeon Biddle, 136 men, 26 women and 41 children H. M. 43d Regt., Lieutenants Davis, Pretyman and Jameson, 78 men, and 18 women H. M. 74th Regt.

French Ship Esperance, J. Bernard, from Swansea, cargo Patent Fuel.

FEBRUARY 2—French Barque Monarque, E. D. Desbois, from Swansea, with Coals.

Brig Satellite, J. Trossdale, from Adelaide, in ballast.

French Ship Montesquieu, Maithos, from Hartlepool, with Coals.

4—Ship Fortitude, W. Harrison, from Hobart Town, in ballast, one packet Mails—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Miss Vanderstraaten, Rev. F. Cookson, Mrs. Cookson and family.

5—Steamer Norna, Thomas Black, from Bombay, cargo general—Passengers, Captain and Mrs. Boissier, Captain Bird, General Jackman, Messrs. Moncrieff, Mears & Sidmouth, Dr. and Mrs. Foster and son, Mr. Newby, Mr. Cochlan, Capts. Barton and Westbrook, Captain and Mrs. Evans and Parker.

Barque Tynemouth, J. Cooper, from Shields, cargo Coals.

6—Barque Faithful. J. Manning, from Port Philip, in ballast.

7—Barque Harbinger, R. Davidson, from Mauritius, in ballast.

8—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, from Suez and Aden, cargo sundries—Passengers, Miss Brown, Mr. Harper and servant and Mr. Berry.

Ship Seringapatam, G. A. Surghen, from Hartlepool, bound to Aden, cargo Coals.

9—Steamer Ganges, R. B. Baker, from HongKong, Singapore and Penang, cargo sundries—Passengers, Dr. and Mrs. Croft, Lieut. Dobyns, 25 men, 14 women and 6 children, C. R. R.

13—French Ship Pursage, V. Martin, from Cardiff, cargo Coals.

14—Ship Chevalier, C. J. Brightman, from Liverpool and Cape of Good Hope, cargo Coals—Passengers, Mrs. Brightman and Mr. Strachan.

21—Steamer Singapore, J. W. Rogers, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lt. Wild, Quarter Master Wall 61st Regt., Captain and Mrs. Dinshe and 3 children, Dr. and Mrs. Atkinson, Lieut. Malden, Mrs. Reynolds and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. Cohen and servant, Mrs. Ross and child and Mr. McCulloch.

23—Steamer Madras, W. Parfitt, from Sydney, Port Philip, Adelaide and King George's Sound, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capt. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Pret.

Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, from Suez and Aden, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Philips, Dr. Cameron, Mr. Ronayne, Lieut. Bell, Mrs. Johnstone and Mr. Ravenscroft.

Barque Martin Luther, W. Ross, from Colombo, in ballast.

Steamer Lady Jocelyn, G. E. Bird, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Ferlies and Mr. Watson.

24—Steamer Calcutta, J. Goodall, from Plymouth, St. Vincent, Ascension, Cape of Good

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Hope and Mauritius, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Welby and servant, Miss Simpson, Messrs. Payne, Carson and West and servant.

25—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, from HongKong, Singapore and Penang, cargo sundries—Capt. and Mrs. Goad, 2 children and 2 servants, Mr. and Mrs. Houghton, 2 children, and Mr. Vergos.

27—Steamer Bengal, J. Bowen, from Calcutta and Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Sims and 1 native.

28—Norwegian Barque Oceanus, J. Norbuck, from Shields, cargo Coals.

MARCH 3—French Ship L'Amiral Dupiere, W. Martin, from Bourbon, in ballast.

4—French Brig National, S. Bane, from Swansea, with Coals.

5—Ship Po inaise, J. Allen, from Port Philip, in ballast.

Barque Queen Margaret, J. Spence, from Sydney, in ballast.

6—French Barque Angelina, J. Blandin, from Swansea, with Coals—Passenger, Mr. L. Lecompte.

Barque Sea Serpent, F. Anderson, from Shields, with Coals.

8—Steamer Ganges, R. B. Baker, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Graham and servant.

Belgian Barque La Barse D'Anvers, H. Van Coppenolle, from Cardiff, with Coals.

10—Steamer Bombay, W. J. Tregear, from Suez and Aden, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Newbold and Mr. Barnes.

Barque Fleetwood, H. Allen, from Mauritius, in ballast.

13—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, from Calcutta and Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Cunliffe and Mr. Hooper.

14—Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, from HongKong, Singapore and Penang, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Freyer, Mr. De Baseldorf and servant, Captain Kempt, Mrs. Bernard, 3 children and 2 servants, Lieut. McIntyre, Mrs. Taylor, child and servant, Mr. Hind and 2 natives.

15—Barque John Panter, R. A. Clarkson, from Swansea, in ballast.

20—Barque Eliza Elson, M. Cassim, from Chittagong, cargo Rice.

23—Steamer Indiana, G. P. Lambert, from Calcutta and Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, 2 natives.

Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Tritton and servant, Miss Liesching, Captain and Mrs. Lodwick and servant, Dr. and Mrs. Leggett and servant, and Messrs. Bouverie and Bowing.

27—Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, from Calcutta and Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Daniel and Scott, Mrs. Haines and 1 native servant.

Steamer Norna, T. Black, from China, Singapore and Penang, in ballast—Passengers, Mr. Ritchie and 3 natives.

Steamer Hindostan, F. H. Tronson, from Suez and Aden, cargo sundries—Passengers, Rear Admiral Sir James Stirling, steward, cook and valet, Captain Currie, R. N., Lieut. Gould, Monsieur and Madam Blanchard and servant.

29—French Barque St. Andre, G. Bronkhorst, from Cardiff, cargo Coals.

APRIL 2—Steamer Mauritius, J. Sceales, from Southampton, &c., cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Freeze, Treen, Burleigh, Marsh, Donald, Andree, Webb, Fouque, Gonderville and Ross.

4—Barque Flying Dragon, J. G. Carter, from Port Philip, in ballast—Passenger, Mr. D. Coghill.

6—Swedish Ship Oscar, R. F. Logerklan, from Hartlepool, cargo Coals.

Steamer Pottinger, J. R. Stead, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Captain and Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Parnell, 4 children and 2 servants and Dr. Downes.

French Ship Ernest, L. Allemas, from Cardiff, cargo Coals.

7—Barque Northern Light, J. N. Marshall, from Cape of Good Hope, cargo Coals and Crockery ware.

8—Hamburg Ship Nicoline, C. H. Valleson, from Hartlepool, cargo Coals.

9—French Ship Edith, A. Poulet, from Cardiff, cargo Coals.

French Barque Veanne, A. Moreau, from Swansea, cargo Coals.

Steamer Bengal, J. Bowen, from Suez and Aden, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Webster, Don Gaorund, Major Drieberg, Messrs. Gibson and Butler, and Lieut. Godfrey.

11—Barque Limehouse, J. Chester, from Port Philip, in ballast.

H. M. Steamer Barracouta, G. Parker, from Trincomalie, bearing the Flag of Vice Admiral the Hon'ble Sir F. B. Pellew, K. C. B.

H. M. S. Salamander, Ellsnan, from Hong Kong and Singapore, bound to Trincomalie and England—Passengers, Invalids to England.

12—Steamer Singapore, J. W. Rogers, from Hong Kong, cargo sundries—Passengers,

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Messrs. Mash, Quarthy, Tullard and Lambert, Major and Mrs. Graham and 3 natives.

14—Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, from Calcutta and Madras, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. Hume.

20—Steamer Douro, G. W. Hederstedth, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Robertson, Mrs. Fogarty, 2 children and servant, Captain Corfield, a Parsee Lady and 2 servants, Major Aston and servant, Lieut. Hobert, Messrs. Ireland and Claxton, Capt. Mair and 1 native.

21—Ship Hydroos, A. Eagleshaw, from Calcutta to Bombay, cargo sundries.

22—Steamer Chusan, H. Down, from Sydney, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Cox and Bordes.

24—Steamer Argo, G. Hyde, from Plymouth, cargo sundries—Passengers, His Excellency J. M. Higginson, 2 Misses Higginson and servant, Lt. and Mrs. Evatt, Capt. Eden, Monsr. Gragset and servant, W. Steven and 1 servant.

25—Steamer Calcutta, J. Goodal, from Calcutta and Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Tait and 1 native.

26—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, from Suez and Aden, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Henderson, Mr. Stumper, Mr. and Mrs. Cargill, A. Robertson, J. Scott and R. Smith.

27—Steamer Ganges, R. B. Baker, from Hong Kong, cargo sundries—Passengers, 4 natives.

Barque Dariah Dowlet, Ally, from Lacadive, cargo sundries.

Steamer Hindostan, T. H. Tronson, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, General Sir J. Cheape, Lieut. Cochrane, Mrs. Montclar, child and 3 servants, Mr. J. Vanderspaar, Mr. E. Vanderspaar, Mr. Johnstone and 1 native.

MAY 4—Ship Chinsura, H. McKechnie from Port Philip, bound to Colombo, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. McKechnie and child.

5—Put back, Ship Chinsura, H. McKechnie, in ballast—Passengers, Mrs. McKechnie and child.

Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. & Mrs. Bremner and servant, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Dunston and servant, Mr. Russaic, Mr. Russaic junior and 1 native.

7—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts from HongKong, cargo sundries—Passengers, 2 Chinese.

8—Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Maitland, Lieut. Sandone and 1 servant.

9—Steamer Bengal, J. Bowen, from Calcutta and Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Ponambalam Modliar and servant.

11—Ship Stag, H. N. Clarke, from Mauritius, in ballast.

12—Steamer Norna, T. Black, from Bombay, bound to Singapore.

14—Schooner Presto, G. Gruzelier, from Port Philip, in ballast.

20—Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Col. Delamain, Mr. Walker, Lieut. Anderson and 1 native.

Steamer Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, J. G. Brown, from Penang, bound to Bombay, cargo sundries.

24—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, from Calcutta, cargo sundries.

Steamer Mauritius, J. Sceales, from Calcutta, cargo sundries.

26—Steamer Pottinger, J. H. Stead, from HongKong, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Rees and 2 servants, and 5 natives.

27—Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. & Mrs. Portman and servant, Miss Cohen, Mr. Robertson and Mr. Leurin.

JUNE 3—Barque Cornelia, J. Read, from Mauritius, in ballast—Passengers, 3 natives.

5—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, from Bombay, cargo sundries.

9—Steamer Hindostan, T. H. Tronson, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Fulton, Shaw and Pennycuick.

10—Steamer Oriental, G. F. Henry, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mrs. Durnford.

11—Barque Lady Flora Hastings, A. Jameson, from Liverpool, cargo Coals.

13—Steamer Propontis, R. Maynard, from Southampton, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Bell, Mr. Barras, Mr. Bushe, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Robertson & 1 native.

French Ship Nantes, E. Mary, from Swansea, cargo Coals.

14—French Barque Victoria, E. Caunera, from Swansea, cargo Coals.

20—Passed by, Ship Emerald Isle, G. B. Pellatt, from Mauritius, for Madras, in ballast—Passengers, Lieut. and Mrs. Dunsterville and child.

21—Steamer Erin, J. M. Rogers, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Captain J. D. Leckie, Messrs. Stewart and Miller, J. Rustonjee and J. M. Hossen.

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22—Steamer Bengal, J. Bowen, from Suez and Aden, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Baring, Reid, Bessett, Blacklan, Lambert, Noel, Waring, Sealter, Miss Shipton, Capt. Vanderspaar, Padre Esmeralda and 2 servants, and 1 native.
23—Steamer Ganges, T. Black, from Calcutta and Madras, cargo sundries.
Steamer Pekin, G. A. Grainger, from China, cargo sundries—Passengers, 6 natives.
24—French Ship Malvina Cezard, F. Lebesque, from Swansea, cargo Patent Fuel.
French Brig Phillos, A. Allain, from Cardiff, cargo Coals.
25—Steamer Madras, W. Parfitt, from Sydney, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capt. Eglan, T. Luke, Mr. De Pass, Col. Penny, Messrs. Kennedy and Boyle.
27—Steamer Argo, G. Hyde, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Roddy and Mr. Simons.
30—Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, from Hong Kong, cargo sundries—Passengers, 2 natives.

JULY 1—Brig Hellespont, G. Cooper, from Algoa Bay, in ballast.
2—Barque Abbaz, J. Ally, from Juddah, cargo Salt.
6—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Rev. Saint Geneys and servant.
7—Steamer Pottinger, J. R. Stead, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Oughterson and servant, M. Lebbe, A. S. Burney and 2 natives.
Ship Urgent, J. T. Murdock, cargo Coals.
8—Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, from Calcutta, cargo sundries.
9—Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, from Hong Kong, cargo sundries.
16—Dutch Ship General Vanden Bosch, F. Parlevient, from Batavia, cargo ballast.
17—French Ship Travancore, P. Voisin, from Cardiff, cargo Coals.
22—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, from Hong Kong, cargo sundries.
24—Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Misses J. & L. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Pringle, and Rev. J. Bayly.
Steamer Bengal, J. B. Caldbeck, from Calcutta—Passenger, Mr. Wyston.
Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, from Bombay—Passenger, Mr. Gooch.
27—Steamer Propontis, R. Maynard, from Calcutta, cargo sundries.
30—Barque Queen of England, J. W. Bailie, from Sydney.

AUGUST 5—Steamer Pekin, G. A. Grainger, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Col. and Mrs. Lester and 2 servants.
8—Steamer Ganges, T. Black, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Northmore, Mr. Northmore, Mr. Hamilton and Mrs. Henderson.
11—H. F. M. Schooner Légle, L. Leclaire, from Mauritius.
12—Steamer Erin, J. M. Rogers, from Hong Kong—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Church and servant, and J. Alexander.
13—French Brig Buffon, A. Guiod, from Swansea—Passenger, Mrs. Guiod.
15—Steamer Precursor, A. B. Farquhar, from Calcutta—Passengers, Messrs. McDonald, Stewart, Garvin and servant.
21—Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, from Bombay.
Steamer Norna, H. Down, from Sydney—Passengers, Messrs. Daniel, McKenzie and Hawkins, Lieut. and Mrs. Read.
22—Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, from Suez.
23—Barque Clara, A. Wilson, from Sunderland—Passenger, Mrs. Wilson.
24—Steamer Propontis, R. Maynard, from Mauritius—Passengers, Mr. Perindorge, Mr, and Mrs. Louth, 4 children and 3 servants, Mr. Pendennis, Mr. Burnet and Dr. Keane.
26—Steamer Pottinger, J. R. Stead, from Hong Kong—Passenger, Mrs. Mytton.
27—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Colonel Anderson and servant.

SEPTEMBER 4—Barque William Darley, R. Waugh, from Hull, cargo Coals.
5—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, from Bombay, cargo sundries.
Steamer Bengal, J. C. Caldbeck, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Irvin, Mr. Rudd, Miss Young, J. Glover and D. Collet.
French Ship Malorien, E. Gallerie, from Cardiff, cargo Coals.
9—Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, from Hong Kong, cargo sundries.
13—Barque Heath, W. Weightman, from Colombo.
14—Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Tottenham and servant, Dr. Bush and Rev. Higgins.
17—Ship Koh-i-noor, J. M. Auld, from Calcutta.
18—Barque Thomas Brooks, H. Horn, from Bombay—Passenger, Mrs. Horn.
20—Steamer Erin, J. M. Rogers, from Bombay—Passengers, Sir Charles Jackson and servant, Mrs. Wigstram, and Mr. Anderson.

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25—Steamer Precursor, A. B. Farquhar, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Laing and 2 children, and Mr. Gilmore.
27—Steamer Hindostan, T. Black, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. W. and G. Hamilton, Mackenzie, Nicholson and Wright, Lieut. Ray, Miss Liddle and Capt. Griffiths.
Brig Nina, W. Hammond, from London, cargo sundries.
29—Steamer Ganges, J. Bowen, from Hong Kong, cargo sundries.

OCTOBER 1—Barque Constance, D. Smith, from Launceston, in ballast.
2—Ship Courier, J. O. Davidson, from Liverpool, cargo Coals.
3—Barque Jullinder, G. Bilton, from Mauritius, in ballast.
5—Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Beresford, Robertson, Roche and servant, Larkens. Scrubs and Anderson.
7—Steamer Bentinck, H. Bourchier, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Rev. Pennington, Ensign Reyne, Mr. Fourchon and servant.
11—Ship Jane Ewing, J. Rose, from Liverpool, cargo Coals.
12—Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Hall, Miss Leighton and servant, Lieut. Taylor and servant, and Mr. Green.
Barque Pandora, W. Dobson, from Adelaide, in ballast—Passenger, H. D. Mather.
14—Passed by, Ship Ann Black, O. H. Bell, from Bombay to Moulmein.
16—Steamer Chusan, R. Curling, from Hong Kong, cargo sundries.
19—Ship Tamerlane, G. Caldwell, from Liverpool, cargo Coals.
20—Ship Allison, T. Hobson, from Liverpool, cargo Coals.
Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capt. Stead, Lieut. Heathcote and 1 native.
21—Steamer Madras, W. Parfitt, from Sydney, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Campbell, Choinside, Langhorn, Philps, Wharton, Grant, Cunningham, Stonor, Bailey, Parting and Malcolm, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Rev. J. and Mrs. Macbean, child and Master Macbean, Mr. Fisher and servant, and Dr. Baillie.
23—French Barque Solidor, J. L. Menes, from Swansea, cargo Coals.
Barque Nil Desperandum, J. Eastway, from Port Philip, in ballast,
26—Steamer Oriental, G. F. Henry, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Layard, Mr. Macready, Mrs. Carr, Messrs. Gondrewille, Scott, McEwen, R. McEwen, Ingleton, Mulliers, Lovet and Chareton, Right Rev. O. Bettachine and 3 servants, Dr. Mc Cauley, and Mr. and Mrs. Money.
Barque Tyne, J. P. Mackey, from Sunderland, cargo Coals.
27—Steamer Bengal, J. B. Caldbeck, from Calcutta—Passenger, Mr. Carpenter.
Barque Newcastle, J. Reed, from Newcastle, cargo Coals.
28—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, from Hong Kong, cargo sundries.
29—Barque Jane Jersey, T. De Grinley, from Cardiff, cargo Coals.

NOVEMBER 1—Barque Fairy, J. Gillie, from Liverpool, cargo Coals.
3—Ship Araminta, T. Feran, from Sydney, cargo Coals.
Barque City of Peterborough, E. H. Fenn, from Newport, cargo Coal.
6—Steamer Hindostan, T. Black, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Dames, 3 Misses and Master Dames and servant, Messrs. Worms, O'Halloran, O'Flaherty and O'Callaghan.
Steamer Chusan, R. Curling, from Bombay, cargo sundries.
7—Barque Sir Charles Napier, C. T. Searle, from Sunderland, cargo Coals.
11—French Ship Mahe de Labourdonnais, A. Mayer, from Mauritius, in ballast—Passengers, Mrs. Mayer and child, Viscount de Noritivel, Mr. Guthrie, Dr. Tulloch, H. M. 10th Foot, Lieut. Maude and 65 Emigrants.
12—Steamer Erin, J. M. Rogers, from Hong Kong, cargo sundries.
16—Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Hon'ble Lieut. Herbert, Mr. Murdoch, M. Savior and P. Seedwater.
18—Barque Hope, W. Peterson, Chief Officer in charge, from Moulmein, cargo Timber.
19—French Barque Camoens, P. C. Pargne, from Swansea, cargo Coals.
Ship Monsoon, J. Bogart, from Moreton Bay, in ballast.
20—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, from Bombay, cargo sundries.
23—Ship Charles Grant, J. Allcock, from China, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Taylor and child.
Barque Eliza Elson, M. Cassim, from Chittagong, cargo Rice.
26—Steamer Bombay, J. Patterson, from Suez—Passengers, Mr. & Mrs. Lee, 4 children and 2 servants, Messrs. Colepeper, Dias, Simm, Scott, Cocq and Randall.
Barque Dahlia, W. Phillips, from London, cargo Coals.

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27—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, from Calcutta,—Passenger, Mr. Bellet.
Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, from HongKong,—Passengers, 6 natives.
28—H. F. M. Schooner Egle, L. Leclaire, from Mauritius—Passenger, Mrs. Leclaire.

DECEMBER 3—Barque John Laird, C. Steward, from Swan River, in ballast.
6—Steamer Pottinger, J. R. Stead, from Bombay, cargo sundries.
Schooner Go Forward, J. Lewis, cargo sundries.
10—Steamer Bengal, J. B. Caldbeck, from Suez, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. Durand.
11—Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, from HongKong, cargo sundries—Passengers, 2 natives.
Belgian Ship Columbus, F. Lechrie, from Newcastle, cargo Coals.
13—Steamer Hindostan, J. Black, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Shand and Campbell and 8 natives.
Barque King John, D. Brookbank, from Sunderland, cargo Coals.
14—Barque George Wolfe, F. Howel, from Sunderland, cargo Coals.
15—Barque Walsoken, W. Bingstock, from Newcastle, cargo Coals.
18—Barque Tenasserim, J. H. Andrews, from Calcutta, cargo Rice—Passengers, Mrs. Andrews and child.
21—Brig Minerva, H. Swany, from Calcutta, cargo Rice—Passengers, 2 natives.
22—Brig Aresto, T. Conselt, from Sunderland, cargo Coals.
23—Steamer Propontis, R. Maynard, from Mauritius, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capt. and Mrs. O'Connell and child, Dr. and Mrs. Browne, Messrs. Hein and Scheffer, Lieut. Hickey and 2 natives.
24—Steamer Norna, G. C. Burn, from Sydney, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Miss Hayes, Messrs. Bushnell, Leavena, Wanholly and Glenie, Majors Kevin, Feanik and Dowdeswell, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph, Mrs. Crawley, Miss McLang, Mr. Hood and servant, Mr. and Mrs. Nankerwille 2 children and servant, Capt. Cathcart, Major Leslie, Mr. Alowton, Miss Frances, Messrs. Wells, Tofel, Stubbs, Sprott, Robertson, Bushnell's friend, Harmsworth, Morgan, Cookey and Tayes, Lieut. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Trinmner, Messrs. Strangeway, Chambers, and Fletcher, and Rev. Mr. Ferrel.
Barque Constance, G. Lambton, from Sunderland, cargo Coals.
26—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, from HongKong, cargo sundries.
27—Steamer Bombay, J. Patterson, from Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Morrison, Parker, and W. Swaresse.
28—Hamburg Barque Bonito, H. F. Saponsz, from Algoa Bay, in ballast.
Belgian Barque Vandyck, R. B. Ketelson, from Newcastle, cargo Coals.
29—French Ship Cid, Renout, from Cardiff, cargo Coals.
Barque John Bunyan, W. Erington, from Table Bay, cargo sundries.

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JANUARY 3—Brig Lucille, W. Paterson, from Madras, cargo Rice.

MARCH 6—H. M. S. Sybille, Capt. Elliott, from Madras, cargo Treasure for Naval Yard.

APRIL 27—French Ship Pondicherry, J. Martin, from Pondicherry, cargo Sesame seed.

MAY 31—French Barque St. Andre, G. Bronkhorst, from Colombo, for Havre, cargo Coffee and Cinnamon.

JULY 25—Barque Jemima, G. Freywer, from Colombo—Passengers, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Walton, 3 children and servants, Dr. Sinclair, Captain Barnett, Lieut. Newbolt, 1 serjeant, 22 men, 4 women and 3 children, R. A., 40 Gun Lascars, 30 women and 34 children, and 2 Government Counters.

SEPTEMBER 1—Barque Jemima, G. Freywer, from Colombo—Passengers, Captain Pelly, Lieuts. Luxmore and Wyatt, 5 serjeants, 7 corporals, 2 drummers, 89 privates, 5 women, 6 children, 37th Regiment, Lieut. Philpotts, R.E., and Mr. Medical Sub-Assistant Anthonisz.

OCTOBER 2—Barque Jemima, G. Freywer, from Colombo—Passengers, Staff Assistant Surgeon and Mrs. Hoffman, Captain Jones, Ensign Ind, 6 serjeants, 3 corporals, 1 drummer, 87 privates, 5 women, 8 children, 37th Regiment, F. Gray, Esq., and 6 servants.
27—H.C. Steam ship Hugh Lindsay, Captain Crowther, from Madras.

NOVEMBER 12—H. M. Ship Juno, Capt. Freemantle, from Bombay.

DECEMBER 15—Ship Symmetry, W. Richardson, from Colombo—Passenger, Ensign Reyne, 37th Regiment.

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COLOMBO.

JANUARY 5—Ship Alfred the Great, J. H. Gowing, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
Barque Bellevue, J. E. Nicoll, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
16—Ship Lord Hardinge, W. Beeby, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
19—Barque Pearl, A. Hill, for Port Adelaide and Melbourne—Passengers, Mr. G. Gordon and Mrs. Smith and servant, cargo Coffee and sundries.
21—Ship Glandaragh, G. M. Smith, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Master Smith, 1 Parsee, and 23 Arabs.
24—Barque Lady Stanley, W. Hall, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
25—French Ship Valentine, P. Adams, for Nantes, cargo Coffee and sundries.
27—Barque Meg of Meldon, D. Stove, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
28—Ship Despatch, J. David, for London, cargo sundries.
29—Barque Futtay Rahamany, Nassen, for Bombay, cargo sundries.
31—Barque Emelyn, T. Toogood, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
Barque Skimmer of the Seas, Thomas Mann, for China, cargo Cotton and sundries.

FEBRUARY 2—Barque Dahlia, C. Hodgson, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
15—Barque Aries, J. B. Kennedy, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
16—Ship Phœbe Dunbar, F. Michie, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries—Passengers, Masters Stratford and Charter.
Barque Thos. Dryden, J. Brown, for London, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. Dunn.
19—French Barque Madras, J. J. Daigre, for Havre, cargo Coffee and sundries.
22—Barque Martin Luther, K. Ross, for Galle and Akyab, in ballast.
27—Barque Midlothian, J. Gibson, for Cochin, in ballast.

MARCH 1—Barque Bonanza, J. Burnett, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
Ship Indemnity, G. P. Vickerman, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
7—Steamer Ganges, R. B. Baker, for Galle.
8—Barque Westbrooke, J. Fonrose, for Akyab, in ballast.
9—French Ship Marie Elisa, J. Hopkirk, for Aleppy and Havre, cargo Coffee and sundries.
12—Ship Agra, T. J. Maclean, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries—Passenger, Mrs. Maclean.
14—Barque Fanny Chapman, O. Cunningham, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
16—French Barque Monarque, E. D. Desbois, for Nantes, cargo Coffee and Ebony.
Ship Duke of Wellington, John Smith, for Cochin, cargo sundries.
20—Barque Harbinger, R. D. Davison, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
25—Barque Leander, R. Anderson, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
26—Ship Fortitude, W. Harrison, for London, cargo Coffee—Passengers, Lieut. W. J. Bazalgette, 3 Serjeants, 2 Corporals, 28 Privates, 4 women and 18 children, 37th Regt., 2 Serjeants, 2 Corporals, 11 Privates, 3 women and 9 children, 15th Regt., 1 woman and 1 child, C.R.R., Mr. and Mrs. Cookson and 11 children, Mr. and Mrs. Geddes and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Miss Vanderstraaten, Master Staples, Master Vandadelsen and servant, and 1 European Convict.
27—Barque Fortescue, J. Johnson, for Cochin, cargo sundries—Passengers, Captain J. C. Mackay, Messrs. J. Tarrell, J. Aspin, A. Dickson and G. Sopsy, and 21 natives.

APRIL 2—Barque Magellan, J. J. Jones, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
3—Barque Chinsura, J. S. Winchester, for Cochin, in ballast.
Hamburg Barque Carl, S. Peterson, for Cochin, in ballast—Passenger, S. Butler, Esq.
4—Ship Lydia, W. R. Greaves, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
8—Barque Semiramis, E. L. Milbank, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
9—French Barque Jean Louis, E. Aurian, for Bordeaux, cargo Coffee and sundries.
11—Barque Flying Dragon, J. G. Carter, for Cochin, cargo empty Casks.
15—Barque Lady Sandys, H. Pentreath, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
27—Barque William Brown, R. Bainton, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries—Passenger, Mr. H. Sharp.

MAY 3—Barque David Malcolm, A. Sinclair, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
7—Ship Marion, E. Byrne, for Cochin, in ballast—Passengers, Messrs. J. Nicholson and Joseph Sim.
12—Ship Duke of Wellington, J. Smith, for London, cargo Oil and sundries.
17—French Barque St. Andre, G. Bronkhorst, for Havre, cargo Coffee and sundries.
Ship Crystal Palace, W. Linton, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.

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JUNE 6—Ketch Kaikhusro, Isajee Dosajee, for Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. G. Garvin and servant.
8—Brig Daring, J. L. Parker, for Aleppy, in ballast.
15—Ship Marion, C. P. Byrne, for London, cargo Cocoanut Oil, Coffee, and sundries.
21—Barque Steadfast, T. Spencer, for Calcutta, in ballast.
25—Barque Flying Dragon, J. G. Carter, for London, cargo Coffee, Oil and sundries.
29—Ship Marian, J. Ryrie, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Cleland and 3 children.
Ship Stag, H. N. Clarke, for London, cargo Oil, Coffee and sundries.

JULY 5—Ship Euphrates, Beharel, for London—Passengers, 1 Serjeant, 4 Bombardiers, 2 women and 6 children, R. A., and 1 private 37th Regt.
9—Barque Flora McDonald, D. Reid, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
11—Ship Chimera, Mackechnie, for London, cargo Coffee, Oil and sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Mackechnie and child.
19—Barque Camilla, A. Boyle, for Tutucoreen, in ballast—Passengers, Mrs. Spyer and child, Mrs. Boyle and Mr. R. Clarke.
22—Barque Morning Star, W. Clarke, for Alleppy, cargo empty Casks.
25—Barque Sultan, W. Appleby, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
31—Ship Sea Park, J. Spedding, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
Brig Ager, D. B. Burns, for Port Adelaide, cargo Coffee and sundries—Passengers, Messrs. J. Sobstone, W. Francis, James Baxter and W. Hudson.

AUGUST 2—Brig Herminie, W. Fox, for Cochin, cargo empty Casks—Passenger, Mr. Boulton.
3—Barque Corsair's Bride, W. Williams, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
11—Barque Ellen Rawson, J. Saddler, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
12—Barque Sir James Ross, T. Jones, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
French Barque Victoria, E. Canneva, for Nantes, cargo Coffee and sundries.
23—Brig Hellespont, G. Cooper, for the Cape and London.
24—Barque Wreath, J. Dickson, for London.
Barque Sumatra, W. Johnson, for Cochin—Passengers, Mrs. Smith, Miss Caulfeild, and Mr. F. Clark and servant.
25—French Ship Malvina Cezard, Lebesque, for Nantes.
29—Schooner Christopher, G. Teinman, for Cochin, cargo sundries.

SEPTEMBER 6—Barque Maid of Auckland, G. A. Clarke, for London, cargo Coffee, Oil and sundries—Passenger, 1 Bombardier, R. A.
9—Ship Duke of Portland, G. F. Seymour, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
Barque Heath, W. Weightman, for Galle and London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
28—Barque Ouda, A. Nairn, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.

OCTOBER 13—Barque Ramillies, C. Hoddie, for Cochin, cargo empty Casks.
14—Barque Trafalgar, G. Richardson, for Cochin, cargo empty Casks.
17—Ship Merchantman, J. Grey, for London, cargo Cotton and sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Lewis, Dr. Leech, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Hume and family, and Capt. and Mrs. Thomas.
20—Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, for Galle—Passengers, as on arrival.
29—Ship Owen Glendower, W. H. Pare, for Bombay and Cannanore—Passengers as on arrival, excepting the Officers, men, women and children of the 37th Regt., and Dr. Thompson of the Ceylon Rifles.

NOVEMBER 1—Barque Nil Desperandum, J. Eastway, for Galle, in ballast.
7—Ship Investigator, J. Smith, for Tutucoreen, in ballast.
9—Barque Indian Chief, M. Sinclair, for Tutucoreen, in ballast—Passenger, Mr. R. Black.
French Barque Jean Bart, Delpech, for Bordeaux, cargo Coffee and sundries.
16—Schooner Sarah Armitage, Towle, for Cochin, in ballast.
17—Barque Harbinger, G. R. Fentie, for Cochin, in ballast.
23—Schooner Kossuth, J. Sloane, for Melbourne, cargo general.
Barque Caroline Elizabeth, W. Hamilton, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
Barque Sumatra, W. Johnson, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
28—Ship Symmetry, W. Richardson, for Trincomalie, cargo Naval stores—Passenger, Ensign Reyne.
30—Barque Island Queen, R. Skeock.

DECEMBER 2—Barque Tyne, J. P. Mackay, for Tutucoreen, in ballast.
Ship Nimroud, J. Gatenby, for London, cargo Coffee, Oil and sundries—Passengers, the Hon'ble W. H. Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Ranken, W. H. Simms, Esq., Mr. Morice, 1 serjeant, 1 corporal, 1 bombardier and 1 child, R.A.

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3—Schooner Go Forward, J. Lewis, for Mauritius, cargo general.
7—Brig Herminie, W. Fox, for Melbourne, cargo general—Passengers, Messrs. Thwaites, Roddie, Brown and Marriano.
10—Ship Tulloch Castle, W. C. Mitchell, for Tutucoreen, Passenger, Mr. C. H. Roosmalecocq.
French Barque Solidor, P. L. Menis, for Havre, cargo Coffee and sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Abcott.
13—Ship Navarino, T. Story, for Akyab, in ballast.
Barque Constance, D. Smith, for London, cargo Coffee and sundries.
16—Brig North Star, E. H. Peters, for Liverpool, cargo Coffee and sundries.
18—Barque Prince of Wales, J. Rippon, for Akyab, in ballast.
20—Steamer Eaglet, W. Stewart, for Bombay—Passengers, Miss Pelly and J.H. Pelly, Esq.
22—American Ship Beverly, B. F. Chase, for Calcutta, in ballast.
25—Barque Philo, G. Golightly, for Akyab, in ballast.
31—Barque Pestonjee Bomanjee, E. Montgomery, for Cochin, in ballast.

GALLE.

JANUARY 1—Barque Peony, G. Jukins, for Calcutta, in ballast.
7—Ship Despatch, J. Davis, for Colombo, in ballast.
Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Singapore and China, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Noordin and servant, and 2 natives.
Steamer Hindostan, H. Harris, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Paterson and servant, Mr. Boyle, Lieut. and Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Hicks and child, Mr. Palmer and servant, Mrs. Ross and servant, Rev. Storcks, Mr. and Mrs. Allen, and Mr. Fletcher.
8—Belgian Ship Colombo, F. Lechere, for Arracan, in ballast.
Barque Dahlia, C. Hodgson, for Colombo, cargo sundries.
13—Ship Agra, Maclean, for Colombo, in ballast—Passengers, Mrs. Maclean and Miss Smith.
14—Barque Bonanza, T. C. Row, for Colombo, in ballast.
Steamer Singapore, C. Evans, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Milford, Mr. Geddes and servant, and Capt. Bird.
Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Torrance, Mr. and Mrs. Mason, Mr. Stark, Right Rev. de Surra, P. Shuld, G. Hooker, Mr. and Mrs. Milson, Mr. Berstingle, Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins, Mr. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. and Master Rolleston, Mr. Patin, Mr. Goldsmith and servant, Mr. Bigge, Mr. Dennison, Mr. Fairholme, Mr. Fairfax, Dr. Gamble, Mr. De Carle, Messrs. Lee, Barker, Wills, Woodward. Gooch and Scarly, Capt. Rowen, Mr. Scott, Capt. Cooper, Messss. Wade and Southey.
15—American Barque Annie Buckman, J. N. Chapman, for Singapore, cargo Coal and Coir rope—Passengers, 4 Chinese.
21—Steamer Indiana, G. P. Lambert, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. C. Forbes.
23—H. M. S. Fox, J. T. Tarleton, for Cape of Good Hope and England.
Hamburg Brig Carl Ritter, T. Lubbe, for Cochin, in ballast.
Steamer Bengal, J. Bowen, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. J. and E. Vanderspaar and servant, Lords H. Scott and S. Kerr, Rev. Stobart and servant, and H. Batt.
Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, for Singapore and China, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Stericker, 3 natives, 2 men and 1 woman, C. R. R.
24—Steamer Hydaspes, H. B. Benson, for Mauritius, Cape and England, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Feidan, Mr. Schmarda, Mr. and Mrs. St. John Shaw & 2 children, Mr. & Mrs. Desbassayes and servant, and Mr. Laing & child.
25—Barque Honor, J. C. Row, for Moulmein, in ballast.
28—Steamer Pottinger, J. H. Stead, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. Tupper.
Steamer Bombay, W. J. Tregear, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Chance, Major Pepper and child, J. Thwaites, Rev. Bowles and Capt. Keane.
29—French Barque Rocher de St. Malo, S. Gainoux, for Madras, in ballast.
Barque Julia Hamburgh, D. Stein, for Cochin, in ballast.
French Barque Madras, J. J. Daigre, for Colombo, in ballast.

FEBRUARY 3—Ship Adelaide, E. Pavey, for Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capt. Dorell, Ensigns Packenham and Richardson, Asst. Surgeon Biddle, 136 men, 26 women and 41 children, H. M. 43rd Regt. Lieuts. Davis, Pretyman and Jamieson, 78 men and 18 women, H. M. 74th Regt.

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4—Dutch Ship Delft, K. de Kool, for Akyab, in ballast.
5—Ship Annie Fisher, J. Edwards, for London, cargo general.
Barque John Patchett, H. Stapleton, for Liverpool, cargo general.
Brig Gallant, W. Black, for Point Pedro, in ballast.
Steamer Norna, T. Black, for China—Passengers, Mr. Mears, Mr. Sidmouth, Dr. and Mrs. Foster and son, Mr. Newby, Mr. Cochlan, Capts. Barton & Westbrooke, Capt. and Mrs. Evans, and Mr. Parker.
8—Steamer Norna, T. Black, for Singapore and China, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Hancock, Mr. Merson, Lieuts. Mears, Stewart, and Mr. Maitland.
9—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capts. Seward & Manners, Lieut. Waters, Private Camaghan, and native servant.
10—French Ship Marguerite, J. Bourdose, for Bombay, in ballast.
13—Steamer Ganges, R. B. Baker, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Boate, Capt. and Mrs. Cowell, Dr. Goodall, Mrs. Hudson, Messrs. Mabson and Yuille, and Capt. Hunt.
Steamer Hindostan, H. Harris, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Coghlan child and servant, Capts. Bautree and Westbrooke, Capt. and Mrs. Evans, child and servant, Asst. Surgeon Parker, J. Beynon, J. Cass, J. Alvaine, J. Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Buller, Lieut. Ledwith, Mr. Northmore, Master Willisford, Messrs. Worms and Gray, T. Graham, Capt. Reddie, Lieut. Martin, Mrs. Skeen and Masters W. L. H., & G. J. A. Skeen, Mrs. Macaulay and child, and Mr. Redman.
21—Barque Harbinger, R. Davidson, for Colombo.
23—Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Dr. and Mrs. McAndrew, 2 children and servant, Capt. Cook, Mr. Smith, Mr. Blundell and servant, Mrs. Durnford, Mr. McDonald, Miss McFarlane, Mr. Begg, Dr. Bell, J. Reid, W. Clarke, J. Jones, W. McCullagh and W. Patrick.
24—Steamer Lady Jocelyn, G. C. Bird, for Mauritius, Cape and England, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Wilde, Quarter Master Wall, 61st Regt., Lieut. Moldin, Mr. Stretuna, 3 children and servant.
Steamer Madras, W. Parfitt, for Singapore, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. Ritchie.
French Ship Esperance, J. Bernard, for Pondicherry, in ballast.
Steamer Singapore, J. W. Rogers, for Singapore and China, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Wright and Spotteswood, and 9 natives.
25—Steamer Calcutta, J. Goodall, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Manners and child.
26—Barque Martin Luther, K. Ross, for Arracan, cargo sundries.
27—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Ravenscroft, Mr. and Mrs. Piet, Raie Osned Sing Bahador and servant, Mrs. Wetby, Mr. West, G. Bilas, Lieut. Dobyns, Mrs. Reynold and 2 children, and Mr. Viegers.
28—French Ship Parsang, V. Martin, for Cochin, in ballast.
Steamer Bengal, J. Bowen, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Oughten & 2 children, Baron Konenbrun, Messrs. Graves, McCullock & Villetard.

MARCH 3—French Ship Montesquieu, D. F. Mailhos, for Akyab, in ballast.
Ship Lydia, W. R. Greaves, for Colombo, in ballast.
4—Barque Tynemouth, J, Cooper, for Colombo, in ballast.
French Ship L'Amiral Dupiere, W. Martin, for Madras, in ballast.
9—Barque Queen Margaret, J. Spence, for Bombay, in ballast.
10—Steamer Ganges, R. B. Baker, for Singapore and China, cargo sundries—Passengers, Major and Mrs. Graham.
Steamer Bombay, W. J. Tregear, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Major Waters and Reuben Ezekiel.
11—Passed by, Ship Prince Arthur, C. Sutherland, from Bombay to China,.
12—Barque Fleetwood, H. Allan, for Arracan, in ballast.
14—Steamer Bentinck, H. Bourchier, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capt. Clutterbuck, two Misses Layard, and Lieut. Colonel Edwards, H. M. 18th R. I.
15—Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, for Bombay, cargo sundries.
16—Norwegian Barque Oceanus, J. Norbeck, for Arracan, in ballast.
22—French Barque Angelina, J. Blandin, for Bombay, in ballast—Passenger, Mr. L. Lecompte.
24—Steamer Indiana, G. P. Lambert, for Mauritius, Cape and England, cargo sundries—Lieut. McIntyre, Sir Thomas Turton, Lieut. and Mrs. Ayres, 2 children and servt., Mrs. Ross and 2 children, Dr. and Mrs. Ludovice, Mr. Bouverie and 3 Deck passengers.

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Steamer Hindostan, T. H. Tronson, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capt. and Mrs. Goad, 2 children and servant, Mrs. Ouchterlony, Mrs. Sinclair and child, Miss Turton, Mr. Craig, Lieut. Headley and 1 native.

Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Singapore and China, cargo sundries—Passengers, Rear Admiral Sir James Stirling, steward, cook and valet, Captain Currie, Sir J. Bowring, 2 men, 1 women, C.R.R., and 1 native.

26—Belgian Barque La Bourse D'Anverse, H. Van Coppenollie, for Akyab, in ballast.

28—Hamburg Barque Carl, S. Paterson, for Colombo, in ballast.

Steamer Norna, T. Black, from Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, C. Lane, J. Parnell, Ann Elliott and 7 natives.

Steamer Oriental, C. Henry, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Hon'ble Mrs. and Miss Talbot and servant, G. Hollis, Mr Kinnear, Capt. Kempt, Mr. & Mrs. Lambe, Mrs. Bernard, 3 children and servant, Mary Jack, Mr. & Mrs. Wall, Miss Wall, child and servant, Mr. & Mrs. Mitford, 3 children and servant, Mr. Gun, and 10 men late crew of the Cadiz.

APRIL 2—Steamer Mauritius, J. Sceales, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries.

4—French Brig National, S. Boue, for Calcutta, cargo Timber—Passengers, A. Nicholas, J. Bennett, R. McKinnon, W. Shepperd, J. Moran and E. Palmer.

8—Ship Seringapatam, G. A. Surflen, for Maulmein, cargo Cocoanuts.

Barque Sea Serpent, F. Anderson, for Akyab, in ballast.

Barque Flying Dragon, J. G. Carter, for Colombo, in ballast.

10—Steamer Pottinger, for Singapore and China, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Daniel, Mrs. Haines, Mr. Ross and Mr. Schnorman.

Steamer Bengal, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Miss Brown and S. A. Rahman and servant.

12—Barque Northern Light, J. N. Marshall, for Arracan, cargo Coals.

15—Barque Limehouse, J. Chester, for Cochin, in ballast.

Steamer Singapore, J. W. Rogers, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Housten and Kenny.

Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Vice Admiral the Hon'ble Sir F. Pellew, W. H. Mugford, Esq., Surgeon, Lieut. Martin, Flag Lieut. J. Gray, Lieut. Col. St. George, R.A., Lieuts. Braybrooke and Rouche, Asst. Surgeon Crichton, Col. Skelly, Messrs. Coghill, Worms, Fogue, Gondewille, Sims, Scott, Tullard, Schmidt and Randall, Mrs. Quartley, D. Kift, C. Gordon, G. Webb, J. Hall and J. Baird.

15—H. M. Steamer Barracouta, G. Parker, bound to Singapore.

16—French Barque St. Andre, G. Bronkhorst, for Colombo, in ballast.

24—Steamer Chusan. H. Down, for Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passenger, Miss Chapman.

25—Steamer Douro, G. W. Hederstedtt, for Singapore and China, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Wilkinson, Paymaster Scott, R.N., 1 seaman H. M. S. Sybille, 1 soldier, C.R.R., and 17 natives.

Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Cox and Captain Cooke.

Steamer Argo, G. Hyde, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passenger, 1 native.

26—French Barque Veaume, A. Moreau, for Pondicherry, in ballast.

Ship Hydroos, A. Eagleshaw, for Bombay, cargo sundries.

Steamer Calcutta, J. Goodall, for Mauritius, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. M. Eduljee and 2 servants, Mr. Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Planchard and servant, Mr. and Mrs. Graham and servant, Mrs. Whiting, 2 children and servant, Mr. & Mrs. Henderson, Mr. Kaye, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Mr. Marsh, Dr. and Mrs. Loggett, Capt. Corfeild, Mrs. Fogerty child and servant, Mr. Hebert, Mr. Ireland and Major Hastin and servant.

28—Steamer Ganges, R. B. Baker, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Thomas and 1 native.

Steamer Hindostan, T. H. Tronson, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, His Excellency Governor Higginson and servant, 2 Misses Higginson, Lieut. Dyer, Dr. Newton, Messrs. Dundas, Tyndall, Tait, Taylor and Gassett and servant, and S. Haigh.

MAY 2—French Ship Edith, A. Parslet, for Pondicherry, in ballast.

3—Barque John Panter, R. F. Clarkson, for London, cargo sundries.

Ship Chevalier, C. J. Brightman, for Arracan, in ballast — Passengers, Mrs. Brightman and child.

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5—Swedish Ship Oscar, F. R. Pagirklan, for Cochin.
French Ship Ernest, L. Allemas, for Pondicherry, in ballast.
Hamburg Ship Nicoline, C. H. Velleson, for Arracan, in ballast.
8—Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, for Singapore and China, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Anthon, Gottlieb, Peters, Carpenter and Shipley, and 2 natives, 6 men, 2 women and 4 children, C.R.R.
Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Daunsten and servant, and 2 Messrs. Roussaic.
10—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, D. Ratiner, and D. Gollan.
Steamer Bengal, J. Bowen, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Were, 5 children and servant, Miss Were, Mr. and Mrs. Darling, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and child, Mr. and Mrs. Russell, 2 children and 2 servants, Mr. Wolton, Captain Bruce and Dr. Downes, 2 servants, Mrs. Parnell and child, 2 Misses Stockley and 2 servants, Mr. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Tyndall and child, Miss Tyndall and servant, Messrs. Boarde and Williams and Capt. Moir.
12—Ship Stag, H. N. Clarke, for Colombo, in ballast.

MAY 13—Ship Chimera, A. McKechnie, for Colombo, in ballast.
26—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Croft, Mrs. Van Rees.
27—Steamer Mauritius, S. Sceales, for Mauritius, cargo sundries—Passengers, Colonel Spence, Lieut. Alvin, Rev. Higgins, and Mr. Luerin.
Steamer Pottinger, J. R. Stead, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Harding and 2 servants, Messrs. Yuille, Miller and Johnston, Mrs. Mitford, S. Smith, H. Lewis, S. Fisher, F. B. Khan and 2 servants, Eliazar Ebraham and 1 native.
28—Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, for Penang, cargo sundries—Passengers, 3 men, 2 women and 3 children, C.R.R., and 2 natives.
Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, for Madras, &c., cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Morgan, Toussaint, Stork, Brown, Vanderstraaten, and Sterling, S. Thompson, J. Morris, J. Kesley.

JUNE 10—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Singapore, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut.-Col. Delamain, Messrs. Dawson, Parting and Jackson, and a servant.
Steamer Hindostan, H. Tronson, for Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Murray, Mr. Simpson.
13—Steamer Oriental, G. F. Henry, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Sir A. Oliphant, Dr. Caldwell, Mr. Macaulay, Mr. Clark, Mr. Forbes, Mr. S. Waring and servant, Mr. Milne, Major Blois, A. Donaldson, W. Allan.
14—Steamer Propontis, R. Maynard, for Madras, cargo sundries.
23—Steamer Erin, J. M. Rogers, for Singapore and China, cargo sundries.
Steamer Bengal, J. Bowen, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Dr. Shekleton and servant, and Mr. B. Balkhuysen.
Steamer Pekin, G. A. Grainger, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Duncanson, Captain Ritherson, Cornett Campbell and 2 servants, Dr. and Mrs. Bremner and servants, Messrs. Barras, Bushe and Wallace and servant.
26—Steamer Ganges, T. Black, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. Luke.
Steamer Madras, W. Parfitt, for Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. Boyle.
28—Steamer Argo, G. Hyde, for Mauritius, cargo sundries—Passengers, Rev. Fenn, Messrs. Cairns, Pass and Sorabjee Restonjee.

JULY 1—Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capt. Leckie, Lieut. Col. Penny and Pedro Furtadoe.
7—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, for Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capt. and Mrs. Burlton and servant, Mr. Murdoch and 1 native.
9—Steamer Pottinger, J. R. Stead, for Singapore, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. & Mrs. Iggaldon, Dr. McWharrie, Padre Esmeralda, 2 servants and 5 natives.
Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, for Suez—cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Newson, MacClelland and Brown, Col. and Mrs. Cortes, 4 children and servant, Mr. Binney, S. Abdoola and servant, and 1 native.
10—Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, for Bombay—Passenger, Mr. Stace.
12—Ship Glentanner, B. Bruce, for Arracan, in ballast.
French Barque Victoria, E. Cannevo, for Colombo, in ballast.

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15—Barque Abbas, J. Ally, for Calcutta, cargo Salt.
16—Barque Cornelia, for London, cargo sundries.
17—French Ship Nantaivo, E. Mary, for Coringa, in ballast.
18—Brig Hellespont, G. Cooper, for Colombo, cargo sundries.
22—Dutch Ship General Vanden Bosch, F. Parlivient, for Colombo, cargo sundries.
25—Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, for Singapore, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Kennedy and 1 soldier, C. R. R.
Steamer Oriental, G. Henry, for Madras, cargo sundries.
Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Bombay, cargo sundries.
Steamer Bengal, J. B. Caldbeck, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Wright, Steven and Tranchell, and A. Symth.
26—French Ship Malvina Cezard, F. Lebesque, for Colombo, in ballast.
28—Steamer Propontis, R. Maynard, for Mauritius, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Francis.
31—Ship Lady Flora Hastings, for Maulmien, cargo sundries.

AUGUST 9—Steamer Pekin, T. Black, for Madras—Passengers, Mrs. Freeze, Mrs. Harding and 2 children.
Steamer Ganges, G. A. Grainger, for Singapore—Passengers, P. and D. Murphy, J. Argent, J. Stones, Serjeants Church and Samson, J. Nealon, J. Dooling, H. Fisher, M. Sobri, J. Lee, wife and son.
11—Barque Eliza Elson, M. Casim, for Chittagong.
12—Barque Queen of England, J. W. Bailie, for Arracan.
13—Ship Urgent, J. T. Murdock, for Maulmien.
15—Steamer Erin, J. M. Rogers, for Bombay—Passengers. Dr. Downes, Col. and Mrs. Lester and servant, Lieut. and Mrs. Dunsterville child and servant, Dr. and Mrs. Wigstram, J. Crusoe, J. Jesoojee.
Steamer Precursor, A. B. Farquhar, for Suez—Passengers, the Honble G. C. Talbot, Major Skinner, Col. and Mrs. Maclean, Capt. Henry and Lieut. Lennox, R. A., Messrs. Jolly and Dyett, Mr. and Mrs. Banister, Miss Elliott.
22—Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, for Madras—Passengers, Messrs. Daniel, O'Brien and Hamilton, C. Matthew, Lieut. and Mrs. Read.
23—H. F. M. Schr. Legle, L. Leclaire, for Mauritius.
24—Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, for Bombay—Passengers, Mr. Sutherland and 2 natives.
French Ship Travancore, P. Voison, for Calcutta.
25—Steamer Norna, H. Down, for Singapore and China—Passengers, Capt. Hawkins and 6 privates, C.R.R.
Steamer Sir Jamsetjee Jejebhoy, H. Bluett, for Colombo, cargo sundries.
27—Brig Wm. Bayly, J. Rendle, for London, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. Patton.
28—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, for Suez—Passengers, Mr. Brown, A. Stewart, Mr. Munro, Mr. Cawthorn, Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Burnett, Dr. Webbe, Mr. Whiting, Dr. and Mrs. Kelaart, 2 children and servant, the Hon'ble Mrs. Gisborne, and Miss Brooke.
Steamer Pottinger, J. R. Stead, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Messrs. Knop and McKenzie.
Steamer Propontis, R. Maynard, for Mauritius, cargo sundries.

SEPTEMBER 4—French Brig Buffon, A. Guiod, from Pondicherry, in ballast—Passenger, Mrs. Guiod.
6—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Singapore, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Thompson, Watson, Moss, Boyd, and 2 natives.
Steamer Bengal, J. Caldbeck, for Madras and Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Captain Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Church and servant, J. Darragh and 2 natives.
25—Steamer Erin, J. M. Rogers, for Singapore, cargo sundries—Passengers, Col. Anderson and servant.
Steamer Precursor, A. B. Farquhar, for Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Dr. and Mrs. Maillardet, Mr. R. Craig, Mrs. Craig, 2 Misses Craig, Master Smith and servant, Lieut. Anderson, Dr. Kean, Mr. Green, Mr. Bews, and Mr. Cummins.
27—Barque Heath, W. Weightman, for London, cargo sundries.
29—Steamer Hindostan, T. Black, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Hancock and child, Mr. Fernando, Lieut. Grey, Lieut. Annesley, Mr. Massie, Mrs. Wigstrom, and Mr. Briskley.
30—Steamer Ganges, J. Bowen, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Dray-

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son, Messrs. Stephens and Bovid, Mrs. Fogerty, child and servant, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Clark.

OCTOBER 4—Barque Julinda, G. Bilton, for Colombo, in ballast.
8—Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, for Singapore, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Anderson, Captain Griffiths, and 2 natives.
Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, for Calcutta, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and servant, General Sir J. Cheape, Capt. and Miss Impey and 2 servants.
11—Barque Wm. Darley, B. Waugh, for Cochin, cargo empty casks.
Brig Nina, W. Hammond, for Cannanore, cargo sundries.
15—French Ship Molorien, E. Gallerie, for Calcutta, in ballast.
16—Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Ray, Dr. Fleming, Messrs. Dubin and Parsons.
17—Steamer Chusan, R. Curling, for Bombay, cargo sundries.
21—Steamer Madras, W. Parfitt, for Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Robertson, Hadow, Oakes, Sewell, Thompson, O'Brien, Ripley, Devining, Beresford, and Knight, R. Vicajee and servant, Mr. Vincent and child, Mrs. Coates, M. Zekie and servant, 2 native infantry, and Mrs. Ashworth.
25—Barque Constance, D. Smith, cargo sundries.
26—Steamer Oriental, G. F. Henry, for Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Messrs. Hamilton, Mackenzie, Hall, Philps, and Bellet, Dr. Bailly, Captain Walter, Mr. and Mrs. and 2 Misses South, Master South, and 3 servants, Messrs. J. Sibbe, J. Davis, W. Thompson, and J. Johnson.
Barque Nil Desperandum, J. Eastway, in ballast.
27—Barque Medium, R. Martin, for Tutucoreen, in ballast.
Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, for Singapore, cargo sundries—Passengers, Miss Walker and servant.
29—Steamer Bengal, J. B. Caldbeck, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. Fisher and servant, Messrs. Cunningham, Stoner, Malcolm, Campbell, Chirnside, Langhorne, Wharton, Grant, Montefiore, Hamilton, Russell, and Fairlie, Capt. and Mrs. Robson and 2 servants.
Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Sir Chas. Jackson and servant, Mr. Roche and servant, Mr. Larkins and servant, Lieut. Robertson, Mr. Nicol, and Capt. Stead.
Barque Pandora, W. Dobson, for Moulmein, cargo sundries.

NOVEMBER 6—Steamer Hindostan, T. Black, for Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. and 2 Misses Claxton, Mr. Morrison, Capt. Cocks, Mr. Stewart, 2 serjeants and 9 privates of the Gun Lascars, and 1 native.
7—Steamer Chusan, R. Curling, for Singapore, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Macneil, and 3 privates of the Ceylon Rifle Regiment.
8—Ship Araminta, T. Feran, for Bombay, cargo Coals as ballast.
11—Steamer Propontis, R. Maynard, for Mauritius, cargo sundries—Passengers, Dr. Perindorge and servant, Rev. Pennington, Messrs. Gondervile, Louvet, Charton, Mollier, Scott, Gilmer, and Fourchong and servant, and 1 native.
14—French Ship Mahe de Labourdonnais, A. Mayer, for Pondicherry, in ballast—Passengers, Mrs. Mayer and child, Viscount de Nontivil, Mr. Guthrie and 65 emigrants.
Ship Tamerlane, G. Caldwell, for Moulmein, cargo sundries.
15—French Ship Solidor, J. L. Mines, for Colombo, in ballast.
16—Steamer Erin, J. M. Rogers, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Maude, Dr. Tullock, J. McKenley, and Mrs. Gregory.
Steamer Oriental G. Henry, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Capt. and Mrs. Sewell, and Capt. Fulton.
18—Ship Courier, J. A. Davidson, for Colombo, in ballast.
20—Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Singapore, cargo sundries.
Ship Jane Ewing, G. Rose, for Calcutta, in ballast.
23—Barque Nil Desperandum, J. Eastway, for London, cargo sundries.
Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Singapore, cargo sundries.
26—Ship Charles Grant, J. Allcock, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Taylor and child.
Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, for Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Oven and child, Messrs. Herber, Levera, Simm, and J. Wabijee, 2 Non-commissioned Officers, 9 privates, and 3 servants.
Steamer Malta, J. W. Purchase, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passenger, Mr. Randall.

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28—Steamer Bentinck, H. P. Bourchier, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieut. Webb and Mr. Pride.
29—Barque Fairy, for Colombo, cargo sundries.
30—H. F. M. Ship Eglé, L. Leclaire, for Mauritius—Passengers, Mrs. Leclaire.
DECEMBER 1—Ship Monsoon, J. Bogart, for Akyab, in ballast.
2—Barque City of Peterborough, E. H. Fenn, for Cochin, in ballast.
Barque Jane, F. D. Gruchy, for Arracan, in ballast.
Ship Allison, J. Hobson, for ditto.
7—Barque Newcastle, J. R. Stead, cargo sundries.
Barque Silistria, G. Williamson, for Arracan, in ballast.
10—Barque John Laird, C. Steward, for ditto.
Steamer Pottinger, J. R. Stead, for Singapore—Passengers, Mrs. MacNeil and child, Miss Browne, L. Dinger, and 3 natives.
11—Ship Charles Grant, C. T. Searle, for Arracan, in ballast.
Schooner Go Forward, J. Lewis, for Mauritius,—Passengers, Messrs. Bellet and Dias.
Steamer Bengal, J. B. Caldbeck, for Madras, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Kerakose and servant, Mr. Harris, Mr. Egerton, Mr. Cochrane, Marquis of Lothian and 2 natives, and 1 Gun Lascar.
13—Steamer Singapore, R. B. Baker, for Bombay, —Passenger. Mr. Brazier.
Steamer Hindostan, T. Black, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Lieuts. Burton, S. A. Rohman and Seyd, and 1 native.
17—Barque Saxon King, W. Cockburn, for Arracan, in ballast.
18—French Barque Camoens, P. C. Parquett, for Colombo, in ballast.
24—Belgian Ship Columbus, F. Lechrie, for Rangoon, in ballast.
Barque Syrian, A. Fullerton, for Maulmein, cargo sundries.
26—Steamer Norna, G. C. Burne, for Calcutta,—Passengers, Mrs. and Miss Hays, Messrs. Bushnell, Lavene, Weinhaltz, Stubbs, Robertson, De Courlan, Lieut. Heckey.
28—Hamburgh Brig Bonito, H. F. Saponz, for Arracan in ballast.
Barque Armais, A. Lock, for Colombo, cargo sundries.
Steamer Cadiz, W. H. Roberts, for Bombay,—Passengers Dr. and Mrs. Browne.
Steamer Bombay, J. Paterson, for Suez, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph, Messrs. Frank, Chambers, Fletcher, Clive, Cooke, Morgan, Mowton, Wells and Sayes, Mrs. O'Rawley, Miss MacLeay, Mr. Strangways, Miss Frances, Mr. Adams, Major Leslie, Mr. Tafel, Captain Harmsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Nankwills, child, and servant, Mr. Nankwills, Captain and Mrs. O'Connell, and M. Scheffter.

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JANUARY 8—H. M. Ship Rapid, for Singapore.
APRIL 15—Ship Shimolett, H. M. Potter, for Bombay, cargo sundries—Passengers, Mrs. Potter and child, Miss Bower, and Mr. F. Grenon.
MAY 3—Ship Salamander, Ellman, for England—Passengers, Mr. R. Reyne, and invalids from the China squadron.
4—Ship Marion, J. Reyrie, for Colombo, cargo timber—Passengers, Rev. J. Walton, Mrs. Walton, 3 children and servant, 4 recruits of the C. R. Regt., 1 bombardier of the Royal Artillery, and 1 private of the 15th Regt.
6—Barque Cresswell, W. C. Barnett, for Calcutta, cargo Sattin wood.
JUNE 11—French Barque Saint Andre, Bronkhorst, for Havre, cargo Coffee.
AUGUST 9—Barque Jemima, G. Freywer, for Colombo—Passengers, W. H. Whiting, Esq. and servant, Staff Assistant Surgeon Webb, 1 Bombardier, R.A., 2 serjeants, 2 privates, 3 women, 4 children, C.R.R.
SEPTEMBER 5—Barque Jemima, G. Freywer, for Colombo—Passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Warrington, Lieut. Philpotts, R.E., Lieut. Hague, 3 serjeants, 7 corporals, 2 drummers, 67 privates, 3 women and 5 children, 15th Regt., 1 serjeant, 1 woman and 2 children, R.A., Mr. Medical Sub-Assistant Anthonisz, Mr. W. Buttery and 1 British seaman.
OCTOBER 9—Barque Jemima, G. Freywer, for Colombo—Passengers, Major Wingfield 15th Regt., 5 serjeants, 74 rank and file, 2 women, 5 children, 15th Regt., 3 men R.A., 6 natives.
NOVEMBER 29—H. M. Ship Juno, Capt. Freemantle, from Sydney—Passengers, 2d mate, 3 seamen and 1 boy of the late Barque Mazeppa.

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Domestic Occurrences.—1854

Marriages.

JANUARY 3—At Colombo, G. W. Rudd, Esq., to Miss Eugenie E. Piachaud.
10—At Halifax, H. S. Bagenall, Esq., of H. M. Ordnance, to Louisa, only daughter of the late Colonel Creighton, 95th Regt.
18—At Colombo, the Rev. S. Nicholas, to Miss Lucilla J. Rosemalecocq.
25—At Manaar, W. E. G. Bulner, second son of Jacob Bulner, Esq., to Miss Ann Susan, daughter of Mr. J. G. Bertus.

FEBRUARY 11—At Galle, J. C. Hoffmann, Esq., M.D., Assistant Surgeon, to Andaluzia Catherine, eldest daughter of the late Major Peter Browne.
16—At Colombo, Mr. Stephen H. Joachim, to Miss Johanna H. Rodrigoe.
22—At Madras, Mr. A. Barren, to Miss Barbara Mary Ann Van Deerlin.
23—At Colombo, Mr. J. N. Jansz, to Miss W. Rodrigue.
27—At Putlam, Mr. J.C. Ebert, to Mary, eldest daughter of Captain J. Foulston.

MARCH 7—At Pussilawe, J. A. Wilkinson, Esq., late Capt. H. M. 15th Regt., to Miss Elizabeth H. Whiting.
30—At Kandy, Mr. G. E. Goonewardene, to Miss E. Jayetileke.

MAY 4—At Caltura, Mr. H. E. Hingart, to Matilda, third daughter of Mr. J. A. Ledulx.
15—At Colombo, Monsieur F. Souliere, to Miss Eliza Roosmalecocq.
16—At Colombo, J. W. Hampton, Esq., to Miss Charlotte Josephine Piachaud.
22—At Gampola, W. F. Scott, Esq., to Miss Eleanor Wilson.
24—At Galle, Mr. L. P. Christoffelsz, to Miss Jemima Cecilia De Zilwa.

JUNE 1—At Newera Ellia, Lieut. T. Jackson of H. M. 37th Regt., to Mary Anne, the relict of the late Rev. H. H. Von Dadelzen.
26—At Colombo, Mr. J. G. Weinman, to Miss E. J. Wolff.

JULY 3—At Colombo, Mr. James De Bruin, to Miss E. Bruin.
12—At Galle, F. W. Gisborne, Esq., to Miss Mary Livingstone Morris.
17—At Kandy, Samuel Day Thwaites, Esq., to Mary Anne, second daughter of the late R. Imray, Esq., of H. M. 15th Regt.
24—At Batticaloa, J. C. Sortain, Esq., M.D., to Eleanor Burleigh, eldest daughter of R. Atherton, Esq., C.S.
At Colombo, Mr. F. B. Perera, to Miss Maria Pronk.
31—At Colombo, William Grant, Esq., to Jane Fraser, eldest daughter of the Rev. Charles Grant.
At Manaar, Mr. Henry D. Herft, to Miss S. L. Bartholomeusz.

SEPTEMBER, 13—At Trincomalie, A. W. Durnford, Esq., R.E., to Frances Katherine, youngest daughter of Lieut. Col. Tranchell, late of C. R. R.
At Colombo, Mr. J. A. Van Langenberg, to Miss Clotilda Amelia Goldestein
25—At Newera Ellia, Charles Wood, Serjeant in H. M. 37th Regt., to Miss Catherine Monford.
26—At Colombo, H. Rowden, Esq., to Miss Clara Vanderstraaten.

OCTOBER 2—At Colombo, Mr. Samual Sandappa Pully, to Miss Annammah Nallatamby.
12—At Galle, C. P. Walker, Esq., to Anna, relict of the late E. C. Elwall, Esq., M.D.

NOVEMBER 4—At Kandy, Josias Lambert, Esq., to Emma, relict of the late J. Pritchett, Esq.
6—At Galle, Mr. Don Cornelis Ameresire Goonewardene, to Jane, eldest daughter of Mr. Don Harmanis De Silva Ameresinghe.
28—At Colombo, Mr. M. E. Mack, to Miss E. M. Ide.
30—At Colombo, Mr. Joseph S. Foenander, to Miss E. J. Sansonie.

DECEMBER 14—At Colombo, D. C. H. Dias Bandaranaike, Esq., Modliar, to Miss A. F. Philipsz.
29—At Baddagama, George W. Winter, Esq., to Miss Harriet Isabel Leighton.

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Births.

JANUARY 1—At Jaffna, the wife of Mr. Campbell, of a son.
6—At Galle, the wife of Mr. Henry Bogaars, of a son.
10—At Negombo, the wife of A. Campbell, Esq., of a daughter.
11—At Jaffna, the wife of H. L. Cowen, Esq., Asst. Staff Surgeon, of a daughter.
15—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. E. H. Vanderwert, of a son.
17—At Galle, the wife of Mr. J. A. Hume, of a daughter.
At Hambantotte, the wife of Mr. C. H. Heyne, of a daughter.
22—At Kandy, the wife of Captain W. T. Barnett, R. A., of a son.
24—At Colpetty, the wife of Mr. C. E. D'Silva, of a son.
28—At Pusselawe, the wife of Mr. S. Sparks, of a son.
At Colpetty, the wife of Mr. Baliol Scott, of a son.

FEBRUARY —At Caltura, the wife of W. Cohen, Esq., of a daughter.
10—At Point de Galle, the wife of the Rev. J. Rippon, of a son.
12—At sea off Colombo on board the Ship Agra, the wife of Captain Maclean, of a son.
16—At Matura, the wife of Mr. W. Poulier, of a son.
17—At Trincomalie, the wife of the Rev. J. Walton, of a daughter.
18—At Kandy, the wife of Mr. A. S. H. Felsinger, of a son.
24—At Kandy, the wife of E. B. Hancock, Esq., of a daughter.
25—At Kandy, the wife of Captain Romer, 59th Regt. of a daughter.

MARCH 1—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. C. E. Schokman, of a son.
At Colpetty, the wife of Mr. R. C. Clarke, of a daughter.
2—At Glenloch, the wife of J. Tyndall, Esq., of a daughter.
10—At Kornegalle, the wife of Mr. J. B. R. Felsinger, of a son.
13—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. J. B. Deckker, of a daughter.
16—At Colombo, the wife of C. Shand, Esq., of a daughter.
22—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. H. M. Fernando, of a daughter.
At Kandy, the wife of Mr. Tytler, of a son.
At Tutocoreen, the wife of Mr. N. M. Roche Victoria, of a daughter.
23—At Hoolankanda Estate, Mrs. G. Watt, of a daughter.
29—At Marandahn, the wife of Mr. J. W. Marshal, of a son.
30—At Kandy, the wife of Mr. W. P. Charsley, of a daughter.

APRIL 4—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. J. Wright, of a son.
15—At Morotto, the wife of M. Pereira, Mohaudiram, of a daughter.
17—At Wolfendahl, the wife of Mr. John A. Fonseka, of a son.

MAY 1—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. C. Van Langenberg, of a daughter.
7—At Galle, the wife of T. B. Stephens, Esq., of a daughter.
8—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. W. Elliott, of a daughter.
9—At Mutwall, the wife of Mr. E. J. Labrooy, of a son.
10—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. J. A. Franciscus, of a son.
13—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. John Stephens, of a son.
15—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. John Van Dort, of a son.
19—At Kandy, the wife of Mr. T. A. Pieris, of a son.
22—At Pussilawa, the wife of Mr. J. Theobald, of a daughter.
24—At Colpetty, the wife of Mr. A. Barton, of a son.
25—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. L. M. Keyser, of a daughter.
27—At Calpentyn, the wife of Mr. J. M. De Rosairo, of a son.
29—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. G. Garvin, of a daughter.
30—At Newera Ellia, the wife of Lt. Col. Brunker, of a son.

JUNE 2—At Colombo, the wife of G. Vane, Esq., of a daughter.
4—At Galle, the wife of Mr. F. P. Fretz, of a son.
9—At Kandy, the wife of Mr. P. Fincham, of a son.
11—At Cottanchina, the wife of the Rev. G. R. Muttukistna, of a son.
16—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. H. Rudd, of a son.
22—At Kornegalle, the wife of T. C. Power, Esq., of a daughter.
At Chilaw, the wife of Mr. N. Cooke, of a son.

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27—At Colpetty, the wife of the Rev. Dr. Kessen, of a son.
29—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. J. A. VanLangenberg, of a daughter.
30—At Colpetty, the wife of Mr. A. Coomarewel, of a son.

JULY 1—At Colombo, the wife of Lt. Col. Symons, R.A., of a daughter.
6—At Kandy, the wife of Mr. J. R. Bell, of a son.
At Colombo, the wife of Mr. C. De Waas, of a daughter.
11—At Kandy, the wife of Mr. W. C. Miller, of a son.
17—At Old Oddowelle Estate, Kandy, the wife of Mr. Newman, of a daughter.
21—At Badulla, the wife of Mr. A. Oorloff, of a daughter.
30—At Bombay, the wife of Mr. James Smith, of a daughter.
31—At Colpetty, the wife of the Rev. J. Thurstan, of a daughter.

AUGUST 2—At Kandy, the wife of Mr. James Walker, of a son.
3—At Galle, the wife of Dr. Kelaart, Staff Surgeon, of a son.
4—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. J. A. Loos, of a daughter.
5—At Rajawelle Estate, the wife of Mr. Ingleton, of a son.
19—At Badulla, the wife of Mr. A. Davidson, of a daughter.
31—At Smallpass, the wife of Mr. G. Melhuisen, of a son.

SEPTEMBER 16—At Kandy, the wife of Mr. G. S. Don, of a son.
18—At Kandy, the wife of Mr. E. Lewis, of a daughter.
28—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. C. F. Van Eyck, of a son,
30—At Bangalore, the wife of Mr. C. Murray, of a son.

OCTOBER 1—At Colombo, the wife of P. Ranken, Esq., of a son.
2—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. Bartholomeusz, of a daughter, still-born.
At Kandy, the wife of Mr. D. P. De Zylwa, of a daughter.
3—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. J. W. Francke, of a son.
7—At Allagalle, the wife of Mr. Marshall, of a daughter.
10—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. C. B. Kelaart, of a daughter.
21—At Kilpank, Madras, the wife of Mr. Macneil, of a son.
At Batticaloa, the wife of the Rev. S. Nicholas, of a son.
23—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. G. A. Vanderstraaten, of a son.
25—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. E. Hughes, of a son.
At Colombo, the wife of Mr. J. M. Silva, of a son.
27—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. J. P. Siebel, of a son.

NOVEMBER 6—At Colombo, the wife of Abraham De Livera Appoohamy, of a daughter.
21—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. F. Schrader, of a son.
25—At Colpetty, the wife of W. D. Bernard, Esq., of a son.
28—At Doombagastalawa Estate, the wife of Captain Fisher, of a daughter.

DECEMBER 2—At Caltura, the wife of Mr. J. A. Grebe, of a daughter.
At Barber Street, the wife of Mr. A. W. Christoffelsz, of a son.
3—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. J. R. Raux, of a daughter.
4—At Batticaloa, the wife of Mr. H. C. Stephen, of a daughter.
22—At Madras, the wife of Mr. A. Barran, of a son.

DECEMBER 12—At Galle, the wife of the Rev. J. K. Clarke, of twin daughters.
15—At New Oodowelle, the wife of Mr. W. H. Newman, of a son.
19—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. J. W. Jansz, of a son.
24—At Colombo, the wife of Major Watson, of a son.
31—At Baddagamma, the wife of the Rev. G. Parsons, Church Missionary, of a son.
At Colombo, the wife of Mr. P. L. Keegel, of a son.

Deaths.

JANUARY 6—At St. Sebastian, Colombo, Abigail Elizabeth, the wife of Mr. G. H. Anthonisz, aged 36 years, 3 months and 21 days.
15—At Matura, the wife of Don David Lodrickkoe Jayewickreme, Constable Aratchy.

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16—At Galle, the wife of Mr. C. B. Bogaars, aged 34 years.
At Matura, Don David Dias Bandarnaike, Interpreter Modliar of the District Court.
20—At Matura, Mr. J. F. Corea, aged 34 years.
21—At Matura, Mr. C. E. Bartholomeusz, Secretary of the District Court of Matura.
22—At Matura, the wife of Mr. D. T. De Silva Rajekaruna Wikremeratne, Interpreter Modliar of the Matura Cutcherry.
At Matura, Mr. D. T. De Silva Rajekaruna Wickremeratne, Interpreter Modliar of the Matura Cutcherry.

FEBRUARY 7—At Slave Island, Johanis Abraham.
12—At Colombo, Henry Albert, the infant son of Mr. S. Sparks.
14—At Negombo, Mrs. P. J. Postnotsz, widow of the late Henry Alphonso, aged 74 years.
16—At Colombo, Mrs. A. Fox.
28—At Colombo, Mr. James Fox, aged 16 years.
At Negombo, Wilfred, infant son of Mr. H. Dabrera.

MARCH 1—At Colombo, William, the infant son of Mr. J. Reid Jeffreyes.
3—At Colombo, Widow Mrs. Johanna Petronella Kern, aged 38 years.
6—At Colombo, Anthony Franciscoe Rossairn, aged 30 years.
9—At Colombo, Charles Brooke, son of the Rev. B. Bailey.
12—At Colombo, Bregid F. S. the only daughter of Mr. E. Douwe.
18—At Colombo, Mary Louisa, the infant daughter of Mr. C. D. Ebert.
19—At Colombo, John Bennett of the Barque "*Fortescue*," aged 22 years.
23—At Colombo, N. Anthonisz Appoocotty Pulle, aged 33 years.
28—At Ratnapoora, the wife of Mr. J. W. Drieberg.

APRIL 1—At Colombo, Albert Francis, infant son of Mr. J. W. Schokman.
3—At Colombo, Mr. Henry Fernando, aged 18 years.
At Slave Island, Matilda, the daughter of Mr. N. Quyn.
8—At Galle, S. C. Vanderstraaten, Esq., C. C. S., aged 49 years.
Near Galle, Harriet Winifred, infant daughter of Mr. J. G. Warkusz.
9—At Colombo, Ann Matilda, wife of Mr. J. Wright, aged 28 years.
11—At Silver Smith Street, Miss H. E. Van Cuylenberg, aged 24 years and 7 days.
19—At Colombo, the widow Mrs. Catherine Hakel, aged 91 years.
20—At Wellitotte, Clara Margerita De Zoysa Lanea Ettena, widow of the late G. De Zoysa, Modliar of the Governor's Gate, aged 59 years.
24—At Trincomalie, Mr. J. Crispeyn, aged 68 years.
30—At Matelle, Clara Eliza, third daughter of Mr. M. A. Vanderwall.
At Kandy, Wallis Vincent, son of Mr. T. A. Pieris, aged 1 year.

MAY 9—At Colombo, Mr. P. De Silva, Jayawardene, aged 18 years.
10—At Kandy, Miss Johanna Henrietta Eve Van Conrodie, aged 50 years.
20—At Colombo, Mr. John Willemburg.
24—At Marandahn, Edmund Lewis Askey, aged 4 years.
29—At Colombo, Mr. J. R. Aldons, aged 64 years.

JUNE 12—At Galle, F. De Livera, Esq. Acting District Judge of Colombo.
17—At Galle, Mr. W. B. De Zilwa, Med. Sub. Asst., aged 48 years.
18—At Colombo, Joseph Arthur, youngest son of P. H. De La Harpe, aged 3 years.
19—At Cuddalore, Robert Forbes, Esq,
20—At Colombo, Corporal Mark Green of H. M. 37th Regt.
26—At Kandy, Sarah Elizabeth, youngest daughter of J. A. Dunuwille, Esq. aged 1 year.
30—At Colombo, Francis 4th son of Mr. L. A. Bartholomeusz, aged 16 years.

JULY 1—At Matura, James Dunbar Robertson, Esq., District Judge.
At Colombo, Alice Mary, infant daughter of Mr. W. C. Ondaatje.
At Kandy, Anna Maria, wife of Mr. W. E. Parys.

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2—At Grand Pass Colombo, Mrs. Susanna Francina Rudolph, relict of the late Joseph De Breard, Esq. aged 85 years.
4—At Manaar, Miss Rebecca Josepha Herft, aged 17 years.
5—At Kandy, Mr. Thomas Corteling, aged 49 years.
6—At Manaar, Mrs. Emma R. De Hoedt.
8—At Alutnuwera, Wickreme Singhe Mudelige Don William De Thomas Appoohamy, aged 68 years.
11—At Galaha, John Levin Bell, Esq. aged 47 years.
15—At Pusselawe, Mrs. MacDonald.
18—At Peacock Hill Estate, Mr. W. Evans, aged 43 years.
21—At Colpetty, Thomas Dawson, Esq. aged 66 years.
At St. Sebastian, Mr. John C. De Zilwa.
At Slave Island, Mr. Theodore Don Carolis.
At Colpetty, Mr. W. Fernando.
22—At Slave Island, Mr. Jacob Gerlitsz.
At Colombo, Mr. George Jacobs.
At Galle, Henry Andrews, eldest son of Mr. Henry Bogaars, aged 7 years.
At Colombo, Margaret Letitia, wife of Lieut. Col. Hope, R. E., aged 47 years.
26—At Cottanchina, Cyril Dias, infant son of the Rev. G. R. Muttukistna.
30—At Colombo, Eliza, wife of the Hon'ble James Caulfield, Esq., aged 39 years.

AUGUST 2—At Kandy, Edith Louisa, youngest daughter of B. E. Hancock, Esq. aged 5½ months.
4—At Dodanwelle, Cecil Oliver, sixth son of Mr. R. H. Krasse, aged 6 months.
7—At Galle, C. E. Vanderspaar, Esq., aged 30 years.
At Colombo, Mrs. P. Vandort, aged 46 years.
24—At Colombo, Sophia Everina, infant daughter of the Rev. B. Boake.
At Kandy, Brigitina, infant daughter of Mr. G. J. Burke.
25—At Colombo, Mr. Michael Morgappa, aged 25 years.
At Caltura, Mr. Thomas Rae, aged 51 years.
28—At Jaffna, Mr. C. F. Riberg, aged 60 years.
29—At Borella, Archibald Richard, only son of Mr. A. S. Andree, aged one year.

SEPTEMBER 1—At Jaffna, Christoffel Olegesegerapulle, aged 57 years.
3—At Colombo, Mr. J. J. Kreltszheim, aged 78 years.
19—At Galle, Sarah Anne, wife of W. Rowe, Commander of the *Sea Queen*.
26—At Galkisse, Richard Philemon, son of P. De Silva, Walleperume Appoohamy, aged 6 years.
28—At Kandy, Mrs. E. De Bruin.

OCTOBER 6—At Marandahn Lydia Caroline, daughter of Mr. T. Anthonisz, aged 1 year.
7—At Galle, Mr. James Michelson, of the firm of Messrs. Jardine, Skinner & Co., Calcutta.
28—At Caltura Mr. William De Silva.
31—At Jaffna, Miss Mary Ann Brooke, aged 22 years.

NOVEMBER 1—At Barber Street, the wife of Mr. James Alwis.
4—At Mutwal, Lucy Ann, wife of the Rev. Brooke Bailey, aged 32 years.
8—At Matura, W. H. Perera, aged 24 years.
14—At Anooradjapoora, Laurentine Matilda, daughter of Mr. J. S. Kriekenbeek.
16— At Colombo, Mr. C. Silva Wickremesekere.
22—At Colombo, John Warwick, Esq., aged 27 years.
24—At Jaffna, the infant son of Mr. B. G. Bartholomeusz, aged five years.
30—At Caltura, Amelia, eldest daughter of Mr. J. A. Grebe, aged 4 years.
At Trincomalie, the wife of Mr. J.C. Moldrech, aged 18 years.
At Four Corles, B. Harmanis Perera Appoohamy, aged 40 years.

DECEMBER 6—At Colombo, Mr. F. Douwe, aged 26 years.
12—At Slave Island, Mr. Peter Vanderwall.
14—At Colombo, B. H. Toussaint, Esq., aged 72 years.
21—At Kandy, William Arthur, infant son of Mr. J. C. Pieris.

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LIST OF PERIODICAL RETURNS TO BE RENDERED TO GOVERNMENT BY PUBLIC OFFICERS.

Date when due.	*Nature of Return.*	*By whom due.*
January 1st.....	Blue Book Returns	Heads of Departments.
„ „	Return of Works in progress during the past year, shewing the sums originally estimated for each Work, the amount expended in preceding years &c.	Civil Engineer, Commissioner of Roads, & Commanding Royal Engineer.
„ „	Annual Reports by the Government Agents upon the general state of the Provinces under their respective charge	Government Agents.
April 1st.....	Lists of the amount of labour and money performed and paid on account of each District and Division in each Province during the preceding year, and of the several Works to which the same may have been applied	Provincial Road Committees.
May 31st	Statement of Public Works to be undertaken in the respective Provinces in the ensuing year..	Government Agents.
July 1st.....	Estimate of the probable Revenue and Receipts for the ensuing year	Treasurer, Government Agents, Deputy Commissary General & the Principal Officers of Customs.
„ „	Estimate of the probable Expenditure likely to be incurred in the several Public Departments in the ensuing year..	Heads of Departments.
„ „	Estimate of the amount required to be expended during the ensuing year upon Roads &c. within each Province	Provincial Road Committees.
„ „	Numerical Abstract of the Males resident within each Province liable to the performance of labour under the Ordinance No 8 of 1848.	Provincial Road Committees.
January 1st.....	Half yearly Return of Arrears of Revenue	Treasurer and Government Agents.
July 1st.....		
„ „	Return of Office Furniture	Heads of Departments.
January 10th.....	Quarterly Reports of Assistant Government Agents upon the condition of the Districts under their charge..	Assistant Government Agents.
April 10th.....		
July 10th.....	Copies of Diaries kept by them during the Quarter..	
October 10th.....		
January 15th	Half yearly Report upon matters of a Judicial nature	District Judges, Police Magistrates and Commissioners of Requests.
July 15th		

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Date when due.	*Nature of Return.*	*By whom due.*
January 15th..... July 15th.....	Half yearly Report by the Civil Engineer, Commissioner of Roads and Surveyor General upon the state of their several Departments, Public Works, Roads and the Survey of Crown Lands	Civil Engineer, Commissioner of Roads, and Surveyor General.
10th of every month ..	Return of Cash Balances of the General Treasury and the several Cutcherries at the end of each month	Treasurer and Government Agents.
15th of every month ..	Statement of amount voted estimated and expended in the Civil Engineer's, and Commissioner of Roads, and Royal Engineer Departments	Treasurer and Deputy Commissary General.
Weekly	Abstract of Customs Receipts and of Payments made into the Treasury	Customs Officers and Treasurer.
Monthly	List of Letters addressed to the Colonial Secretary	Heads of Departments.
Do.	Account of absent Officers	Do. do.
Do.	Return of Work done during each month	District Judges, Commissioners of Requests and Police Magistrates.
Do.	List of Lands advertised for sale, sold, and remaining unsold	Government Agents.
Do.	Statement of the arrivals and departures from the continent of India of persons of the labouring classes at Colombo and in the Ports of the Northern Province	Master Attendant of Colombo and Government Agent for the Northern Province.
Do.	Return of Prisoners employed at hard labour	Fiscals.
Quarterly.....	Return of Prisoners in the several Jails	Do.
Do.	Report Progress of Works	Civil Engineer and Commissioner of Roads and the Commanding Royal Engineer.
Do.	Return of unsold Lands, and of the expense of Surveying them	Surveyor General.
Do.	Statement of Materials manufactured at the Government Brick Kilns	Civil Engineer.
Do.	Return of Tents in charge of the Commissariat Department	Deputy Commissary General.
Do.	Memorandum of Savings in the Pauper Establishment	Government Agents.

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PART VI.

Directory.

ROYAL FAMILY.

EUROPEAN MERCHANTS, FIRMS, &c.

ADVOCATES & PROCTORS

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Royal Family.

	DATE OF BIRTH, AND AGE IN 1855.	AGE.
Queen Victoria	May 24, 1819	36 years
Prince of Wales	Nov. 9, 1841	14 „
Prince Alfred Ernest Albert	Aug. 6, 1844	11 „
Prince Arthur William Patrick Albert	May 1, 1850	5 „
Prince Leopold Geo. Duncan Albert	April 7, 1853	2 „
Princess Royal	Nov. 21, 1840	15 „
Princess Alice Maud Mary	April 25, 1843	12 „
Princess Hélena Augusta Victoria	May 25, 1846	9 „
Princess Louisa Catherine Alberta	March 18, 1848	7 „
Prince Albert	Aug. 26, 1819	36 „
George Frederic, King of Hanover	May 27, 1819	36 „
Ernest Augustus Crown Prince of Hanover	Sept. 21, 1845	10 „
Princess Frederica Sophia of Hanover	Jan. 9, 1848	7 „
Princess Maria Ernestina of Hanover	Dec. 3, 1849	6 „
George William Fred. Charles Duke of Cambridge	Mar. 26, 1819	36 „
Duchess of Mecklenburgh	July 19, 1822	33 „
Her Son Prince George	July 22, 1848	7 „
Princess Mary Adelaide of Cambridge	Nov. 27, 1833	22 „
Princess Mary, Duchess of Gloucester	April 25 1776	79 „
Victoria, Duchess of Kent	Aug. 17, 1786	69 „
Princess of Hanover	April 14, 1818	37 „
Augusta, Duchess of Cambridge	July 25, 1797	58 „

Her Majesty's Ministers.

First Lord of the Treasury, The Earl of Aberdeen
Lord High Chancellor, Lord Cranworth
Lord President of the Council, Lord John Russell
Lord Privy Seal, Duke of Argyll
Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Earl of Clarendon
Secretary of State for the Colonies, Rt. Hon. Sir George Grey, Bart.
Secretary of State for the Home Department, Viscount Palmerston
Secretary of State for the War Department, Duke of Newcastle
Chancellor of the Exchequer, Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone
Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, Earl Granville
First Lord of the Admiralty, Right Hon. Sir James Graham, Bart.
President of the Board of Control, Right Hon. Sir C. Wood
Secretary at War, Right Hon. Sydney Herbert
Commissioner of Parks and Public Buildings, Sir W. Molesworth, Bart.
The Marquis of Lansdowne

THE ABOVE FORM THE CABINET.

Postmaster General, Viscount Canning
President of the Board of Trade, Rt. Hon. E. Cardwell
Commander in Chief, Viscount Hardinge
Lord Steward, Earl Spencer
Lord Great Chamberlain, Lord Willoughby d'Eresby
Lord Chamberlain, Marquis of Breadalbane
Earl Marshal, Duke of Norfolk
Master of the Horse, Duke of Wellington
Mistress of the Robes, Duchess of Sutherland

Judge Adv. General, Hon. C. P. Villiers
Attorney-General, Sir A. J. E. Cockburn
Solicitor-General, Sir R. Bethell
Lord Adv. Scotland, Right Hon. J. Moncrieff
Solicitor-General do., J. Crauford, Esq.

IRELAND.

Lord Lieutenant, Earl St. Germans
Chief Secretary, Sir John Young
Lord Chancellor, Right Hon. Maziere Brady
Attorney-General, Right Hon'ble A. Brewster, Esq.
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Bell, Miller & Co.
Clarke, Romer & Co.
Clarke, R. C.
Cowasjee Eduljee.
Crowe, A. & R. & Co.
Darley, Butler and Co.
Dawson, Dixon & Co.
Dowdall, Cargill & Co.
Fernando, P. B. & Son.
Garvin, Brothers & Co.
Green, J. P.
Heale, A. W. & Co.
Hormanjee Espondearjee.
Hudson, F. & Co.
Huxham, W.
Joseph and Worms.
Lee, W. D.
Mackwoods & Co.
Milne, Cargill & Co.
Nicol, Cargill & Co.
Parker, Brothers.
Parlett O'Halloran & Co.
Reid, A. & J. and Co.
Robertson, J. M.
Scott, Alex. & Binny & Co.
Shand, Charles & Co.
Simpson, J. P. & Co.
Steuart, George & Co.
Strachan, J. I.
Swan, Jas. & Co.
Thompson, William
Wall, Geo. & Co.
Wilson, Ritchie & Co.

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Black, J.
Hume, Patton & Co.
Milne, Cargill & Co.
Piters, C. J.
Reid. Alex.
Sonnenkalb, J. H.
Vanderspaar, J. J. & Sons.
Wilson & Co.
Zilva, A. De

KANDY.

Brown, A.
Pitts & Gavin
Gerard, R. D. & Co.
A. C. White & Co.
Clarke, Romer & Co.
Bell, Miller & Co.
Dodsworth & Co.
Keir, Dundas & Co.
George Wall & Co.
Fras. Hudson & Co.
R. B. Tytler.
James Affleck.

Affleck & Co. Engineers.

Wm. Turner, late Reid & Turner.

JAFFNA.

Lemarchand & Co.

Stores at Outstations.

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Viscardi, J. & Co.	Gampola.
Robb	Matelle.
Bell, Miller & Co.	Pusselawa.
William Davidson	Yatteantotte.
	Kittulgalle.
	Ambegammoe.
	Navellapittia.
	Kotmalie.
J. Wright	Trincomalie.
Gibson and Son	Trincomalie.
Toussaint..	Jaffna.

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1849
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1838
Mr. J. Booth
„ H. C. Prins
1839
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„ W. Stork
„ J. C. Dias
„ J. L. Vanderstraaten
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Mr. F. A. Prins
„ A. E. Andree
1841
Mr. T. F. Morgan
Mr. D. E. De Silva
„ A. Walles
1843
Mr. P. J. L. Vanderstraaten
„ G. A. Gambs
„ P. F. Toussaint
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Mr. G. C. Koch
„ G. Perera
„ A. S. Andree
„ T. Gordon
„ G. Toussaint
1845
Mr. J. G. De Vos
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1848
Mr. G. B. Hodges
1849
Mr. C. Greve
„ P. Vanhouten
1850
Mr. B. C. Kelaart
1852
Mr. D. E. de Saram
1853
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„ H. D. Jansz
„ J. Baultjens
„ C. B. Dirkze
„ W. F. de Vos
„ E. G. Sisouw
„ A. E. Dias
1854
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„ E. Kats
„ F. S. Thomasz
„ T. G. Jayetilleke
„ J. F. Prins

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1848
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„ J. Drieberg
1835
Mr. A. E. Andree
1838
Mr. J. Booth
„ H. C. Prins
1839
Mr. L. Jumeaux
„ W. Stork
„ J. C. Dias
„ P. J. L. Vanderstraaten
1840
Mr. F. A. Prins
„ A. Walles
1842
Mr. G. Stewart
1844
Mr. F. J. De Saram
„ A. S. Andree
„ J. De Alwis
1845
Mr. V. W. Vanderstraaten
„ E. Drieberg
„ T. Backhouse
1846
Mr. J. A. Martensz
1847
Mr. C. B. Kelaart
„ P. E. Vanderstraaten
1848
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1849
Mr. D. E. De Saram
1850
Mr. E. G. Sisouw
„ J. H. de Saram
1852
Mr. E. Kats
„ C. P. Morgan
„ J. F. Giffening
„ J. F. Prins
„ J. W. Orr
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1834
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1837
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1840
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1849
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1850
Mr. E. de Abrew
1851
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1833
Mr. M. F. Fernando
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1840
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1850
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1845
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Chilaw & Putlam.

1834
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Mr. H. Dabrera

Kandy.

1833
Mahamado Lebbe Siddy Lebbe
1841
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„ G. Bracker
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1845
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„ F. P. Vanhouten
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1850
Mr. W. Jayetilleke

Badulla.

1837
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„ W. A. Claessen
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Tangalle.

1836
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1839
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1841 Mr. W. Marsh

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1822
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1830
Mr. G. Toussaint
1833
Mr. E. Williamsz
1834
Mr. G. W. Colette
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Mr. A. H. Beuljens
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1833
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1833
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1835 Chinne Pulle Ahamadoe Lebbe
1836
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1840
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COLOMBO.

Mr. Gerret William Stork
„ Peter Lodewyk de Vos
„ Henry Joseph Staples
„ John Drieberg
„ Henry Carmichael Prins
„ Jacob Piachaud
„ Selestinus Daniel
„ John Lewis Vanderstraaten
„ William Nicol Robertson
„ Adolphus Kenneman (exclusive for business connected with the Customs Department)
„ Philip Joseph Lewis Vanderstraaten
„ Richard Francis Morgan
„ Fredrick John de Saram
„ Thomas Backhouse
„ James Adrianus Martensz
„ Alexander Murray
„ James de Alwis
„ William Morgan for Negombo
„ Henry Daberera for ditto
„ Peter Engelbert Vanderstraaten
„ Cornelis Adrianus Siegertsz
„ Robert Forbes
„ Andreas Everhardus Andree
„ John Henry Adamsz
Senaratne Wejetunge Wickreme Atchegay Don Aoraham of Pelleagodde
Mahamarakkelle Sameresinha Sakellesoorey Maha Vidanelagey Siman Cooray of Morottoe
Don Baltazer Dias Wickermesooreye Gunewardene Appohamy of Wellicade
John Orr of Mutual in Colombo
Sunderekere Ameresinhe Makewittegay Anthonius Perera of Dalugam
Wahalle Tantregay Hendrick Perera of Cottah
Nugegodegay Don Lourensoe of Mattennegalle
Warnecolle Weeresooreye Jayetilleke Carolis Rowel of Dandugame
Saveal Wanniappa Pulle of Colombo
Conjoe Markan Mohamadoe Lebbe of Colombo
Kankanegey Daniel Perera Abeyesekere of Papeliane
Rupesinhe Arratchegay Custantinoe Perera of Webodde
Wejelatyantregay Louis Perera of Wanawatte
Panagodegay Don Johannes Perera of Talangame
Wellicallegay Don David Appoohamy of Colombo
Lindemullegay Pedro de Silva Warnesooreye Wejeyeratne of Colombo
Wickreme Arratchegay Don Abraham Appoohamy of Wellisere
Ranesinhe Aratchegay Don Francisco Appoohamy of Mahare
Adamberegay John Fredrick de Alwis of Panebakere
Mahamarakele Weresinhe Jayesoreye Pattabendegey Francisco Dias of Morotto
Don Jeronis Attegalle Appoohamy of Salpitty Corle
Siman Arnoldus de Silva Goneratne of Mutual
Weeresinhegay Carolis Perera of Heena Corle
Robert de Silva Karoonanayeke Aratchy of Wattelle
Johannes Pinto Jayewardene of Ratmalane
Sinne Lebbe Caseen Tamby of Colombo
Don Abraham Paulus Gonetilleke Samerenayeke of Peteagodde
Sinhebahoe Aratchegay Don Mathes Ranesinhe of Salpitty Corle
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Dehewellegay Don Anthoney de Philipsz of Negombo
Malnaindelagey Franciscoe Fernando of ditto
Franciscoe Peiris of ditto
Mendis Perera of ditto
Mallewe Arratchegay Abraham Peiera Sameresekere of ditto
Pasqualgay Don Abraham of Negombo
Elaris de Zoysa Samerenayeke of ditto
Manan Peeris de Silva of ditto
Kurookullesooreye Weeresinhe Manuel Fernando of ditto
Ellegay Christian Perera of ditto
Tupahegay Pauloe Fernando of ditto
Pedroe Peeris of ditto
Wanesinhegay Franciscoe Fernando Abraham Karemadakse of ditto
Subesinhe Aratchigay Don Simon of ditto
Don Cornelis Ameresekere of Hewegam Corle [lombo
Segoe Lebbe Ahamadoe Lebbe of Co-
Don Siman Dessanayeke of ditto
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Wallehinge Juse de Silva Abeyerame of Demanhandia
Oeswattelianegey Fidalis Perera Jayetilleke of Welligampettiye
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Mr. John Frederick Giffening of Colombo
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Mr. Abraham Alexander Anthoneysz of Colombo
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Wahaletantregey David Perera Abeyeratne Goonetilleke Appoohamy of Cottah
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Richard Charles Bartholomeusz Perera of Colombo
Mr. John Ferdinand } Prins of Colombo
Mr. John William Orr of Colombo
Mr. Henry Anthony Wirewenaden of Colombo

KANDY.

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Korallagey Don Andries Johan Appoohamy
Sesma Lebbe Sultan Marikan
Bibiley Vejikoon Heratmudiansela Ranghamy
Mr. Lambert William Drieberg
„ Richard James Smith
Don Johannes Goonetilleke Appoohamy
Sirimalwatte Abeyekoon Walauwe Ukkoo Banda
Ellepolle Madoogalle Banda
Mr. Gerhardus de Zilwa
Mr. Charles Louis Ursinus Vanderwall
Don Johannes Perera
Don Cornelis Ameresekere Appoohamy
Pakier Tamby Cader Tamby
Sego Ismail Sego Saibo [hamy
Don Johannes Ameresekere Appoo-
Mr. Frederick Solomon
Packier Tamby Lebbe
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Dambadenie Aratchigey Pedro Perera
Don Joronis Perera
Don Louis Abeywickrame Wickramanaike
Don Gabriel Wijeyesooria Appoohamy
Korollagey Don Andries De Silva Appoohamy
Wappoo Candoo Mapoole Aghamadin Lebbe Markar
Don Daniel De Silva Wickramasingha Appoohamy
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Attandegey Nicholas Dias Appoohamy
Kalootantri Abeysoondra Gawasingha Aratchigey Don Louis Perera
Lokoegey Don Wellon Appoohamy
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Armogan Sabapatty
Bibiley Wijeyekoon Herat Cada Mudianse
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Ismael Lebbe Collende Markar

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Ederisinhe Jayasooria Appoohamillagey Don Tellenis Dias
Lokoogey Don William Appoohamy
John Cornelis Wejesinhe
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Warose Ibrahim Mohedin Pitche

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Doreteawe Wijepale Attepatto Mudianselagey Banda
Mr. Gerhardus De Zilva
,, Gabriel Perera
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Rillegalle Appoohamy
Ihalecotowelle Ramenaike Mudianselagey Appoohamy
Mr. Andrew Samuel Henry Felsinger
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Domingoe Ramenaden Pulle

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Abraham John De Saram of Ratnapoora
Lodewyk AransegeyHarmanies Arense Appoohamy of Ballangodde
Don Denies of Ratnapoora
Don Joronemus of Kurruwitte
Kelonde Markan Comestar Hassena Markan of Ratnapoora
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Bodiabadogey Bastian Perera Wijeratne Jayesooria of Barbareen
Edirimony Salemon De Sose Wickremesinhe of Pohadderemolle
Manueldore Tidoris Perera of Callemolle
Tidoris De Fonseka Abesekere Goneratne of Waskadowe
Don David de Alwis Goneyesekere of Wisidagame
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Louis Peris Gonewarnesooria of Pattia
Dewegey Don Bastian of ditto
Don Hendrick Kuruppoo Jayewardene of ditto.
Daniel Pieris Wijeyewardene Gonetilleke of ditto
David Caldera Disasekere of Caltura
Jayewardene Wickremeratne Mahavidanelagey Juan Simon of Payagalle
Oedoweregey William De Sadris Silva of Pinwatte
Don Cornelis Dias of Pantura
Mettiagey Don Joronis Gonetilleke of Talpitia
Wickremearatchigey Don David of Payagalle
Wickremesooriapalamandadigey Juanis Fernando of Pattia
Pattinihennedigey Carolis Rodrigo Warnediptia Kurukolesooria of Wekede [of Barbareen
Selema Lebbe Segoe Meera Lebbe
BodiabadogeySimon PereraGoneratne Jayewardene of Desaster Caltura
Mr. James Adrian Van Roeyen of Barberyn
Abraham Fernando Payewardene of Morigalle
Jameedeen Markan Cader Markan of Barberyn
Don Abraham De Silva Moneresinhe of Kandy
Oedoma Lebbe Comister Minasa Markan of Caltura
Mr. Abraham Cornelis Van Cuylenburg of ditto
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Segosekender Assenaina Markair—ditto Chilaw

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Vacant—ditto of Atchelo and Siropitty.
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Moorgaser Amblavaner—ditto of Allevetty.
Kathergamer Vayravanathen—Odiar of Poonnalekattoven &c.
Keseger Sethembrapulle—ditto of Elalle and Sooravetty.
Kanther Vayravanather—ditto of Tellipalle.
Poother Kathraser—Odiar of Tellipalle
Vaitianathe Modliar Tamber—ditto of Mavittaporem.
Kartigaser Kooroonather—ditto of Kattoven Pallai and Vemangemmo.
Mana Modliar Velaythen—ditto of Oodoville.
Sittamblaver Ramanather—ditto of Sunnagem.
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Sithambranathen Tillaynathen — ditto of Mathagal.
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Soorasangarer Amblavaner—ditto of Magiapitty.
Vacant—ditto of Sangane.
Aromogam Suppramanien —ditto of Suliporem.
Sittamblaver Sathasivam—ditto of Tolporem and Moolay.
Tamotharer Moorgaser—ditto of Vattokotte West.
Amblavaner Vayravanather—ditto of ditto East.
Vacant—ditto of Araly.
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Vacant—ditto of Navaly.
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Vacant—ditto of Alway Malwaraya Kuritche &c.
Palanier Kanther—ditto of ditto Nelacoottia Kuritche—do. of do. &c.
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Vacant—ditto of ditto West.
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Vacant—ditto of Mattovill South.
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Velayther Aromogam—ditto of Manthovill.
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Mooroger Seramalingam—ditto of Narentanne.
Vacant—Odiar of Karemben.
Telliambelam Sellathomby—ditto of Allepitty &c.
Sinnatamby Amblawaner—ditto of Karetivo East &c.
Kanthapper Velaythen — ditto of ditto West.
Vacant—ditto of Poongortivoe East.
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EASTERN DIVISION.

Illangesinga Kalokomare Rajekarona Nikeveve Appoohamy—Rattemahatmeya of the Eastern Division 30*l*

Illangesingha Kalookomare Bellankadewele Mudianselagey Banda—Korale of Matombowa Korle.

Koomareperooma Kandappo—Korale of Mahapotane Korle.

Illangesingha Kalookomare Rajakaroona Hurulle Tikiry Banda—Korale of Kalpe Korle.

Welategey Kapooralle Wattewewe Korale of Kunjottoo Korle.

Punchiralle Lekamegey Odearey—Korale of Oddiancolum Korle.

Punchiralle Badderalegey Malhamy—Korale of Ollegalle Korle.

WESTERN DIVISION.

Dissanayke Poonchiralle — Rattamahatmeya of the Western Division 30*l*

Appooralle Lekamegey Punchiralle —Korale of Nuweregome Korle.

Sangettewe Kuletunge Mudianselagey Appoohamy—Korale of Eppawele Korle.

Welate of Kudawewe—Korale of Welatchia Korle.

Appooralegey Welate—Korale of Kendae Korle.

Ondiaralegey Kapoorohamy—Korale of Kanedera Korle.

Ondiaralegey Kawralle—Korale of Kadewat Korle.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Alootwewe Ekenayke Modianselyla Poonchiralle Awhatala—Rattamahatmeya of the Southern Division 30*l*

Kunjicooleme Rajakaroona Mudianse.—Korale of Katagam Korle.

Ekenayke Mudianselagey Odearey Appoohamy—Korale of Undorowa Korle.

Banda Mudianselagey Kery Banda —Korale of Keroolowa Korle.

Disanayeke Mudianselagey Nambiralle Appoohamy—Korale of Negampaha Korle.

Naide Appoohamy—Korale of Maminia Korle.

HEADMEN OF THE PORTS.

Arasonillaitte Modliar Santiagopulle—Maniagar of Kareoor 22*l* 10*s*

Santiagopulle Seman Adappen of ditto 12*l.*

Jaccopulle Santiagopulle—ditto of Navantorre 12*l*

Kanther Moorooger—Pattengatty of Colombogam 13*l* 10*s*

Kathergamer Tambayah—Adappen of Point Pedro 12*l*

Vairavanather Velaythen—ditto of Vallovettytorre 12*l*

MANAAR.

P. Jorenemo Rotche—Pattengatty of Manar 22*l* 10*s*

MULLETIVO.

Velaythen Kanthen—Pattengatty of Mulletivo 9*l*

NATIVE HEADMEN OF THE CENTRAL PROVINCE.

KANDY DIVISION.

Carolis Silva Wickremesakere—Modliar of the Cutcherry and Interpreter to ditto, 180*l*

Cornelis Perera Abeyesekere Gooneratne—Modliar of the Government Agent's Office. Shroff of the Cutcherry 130*l*

Don Andris Jayetilleke—Vidahn

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Madogalle Karunatilleke Jayesundere Weeresekere Wahallenaike Nissi Mudianse—Rattemahatmeya of Odoonuwere 60*l*

Dehigame Naweratne Attepattoo Wahele Mudianse—ditto of Yattenuwere 108*l*

Gallegedere Karunatilleke Wijesondere Dissanaike—ditto of Tumpone 60*l*

James Henry Molegode—ditto of Harispattoo 60*l*

Halangode Rajekarona Wijeyekoon Wasale Mudianse—ditto of Lower Dumbere 60*l*

Madoogalle Karonatilleke Jayesoondere Weresekere Wahelenaike Nissi Mudianse, junior—Rattemahatmeya of Upper Dumbere 60*l*

Dunuwille Rajekarunadhara Ekenaike Darmekeerte Panditte Mudianse—ditto of Lower Hewahette 60*l*

Paranatelle Rajagoroo Senewiratne Chandrekrisna Bandarenaike Wasalle Mudianse—ditto of Udepalate 18*l*

Panebokke Semastewickreme Karonatilleke Abeyewardene Bhowanesekere Jayesundere Mudienselagey Banda—ditto of Upper Bulatgama 60*l*

Mohamado Lebbe Siddi Lebbe—Head Moorman of the Central Province.

Matelle District.

John Marthelenus De Silva Welaratne Jayetilleke Ameresirywardene—Mohotty Mohandiram of the Cutcherry and Translator of the Assistant Government Agent's Office 48*l*

Parenegame Wickremesinhe Tillekeratne Mudianse—Ratemahatmeya of the Southern Division of Matelle 60*l*

Wijeykoon Mudienselagey Punchiralle—Ditto of the Northern division of Matelle 60*l*

Talgahegodde Karona Jayetilleke Rajegooroo Panditte Wahela Mudianse—Ratemahatmeya of the Eastern Division of Matelle 60*l*

BADULLA DISTRICT

Don Nicholas Goonetilleke Modliar—Modliar of the Cutcherry and Interpreter to the Assistant Government Agent 75*l*

Rambookpotte Senewiratne Mudianselagey Bandar—Rattemahatmeya of Yattikinde Division of Oovah, consisting of Badulo Pangoowa, Rilpolle Palate, Bogodde Palate, Kumbalwellepalate, Passere Corle, Pattipolle Corle and Kandukara Corle 60*l*

Diwetottewelle Herat Mudianselagey Banda—Rattemahatmeya of Udukinde Division of Ooovah, consisting of Yattepalate, Udepalata, Dambewinnepalate, Mahapalate, Dehewinnepalate and Gampaha Corle 72*l*

Dambewinne Wijeratne Rajekaroona Wahala Mudianselegey Lookoo Bandar—Rattemahatmeya of Wellewaye Division of Badulla consisting of Wellewaye Corle, Kandepalle Corle, Kongalle Bintenne, Boottele Vediratte, Deyyannegampaha, Pandikkulama, Sittarama and Kattregame 60*l*

Taldenne Samerekoon Jayesoondere Mudianselagey Banda—Rattemahatmeya of the Wiyaloowe Division of Oovah, consisting of Wiyaloowe, Pitakola Palata, Etoolkolapalate, Sorenatotta Palate, and Oya Palate 63*l*.

Goddegedere Dissanaike Mudianselagey Banda—Rattemahatmeya of Wellasse Division of Badulla, consisting of Medegam Patttoo, Wagam Pattoo, Dambagolla Pattoo, Nikewetiye Palate, and Maha Vediratte Palate 60*l*

William Perera Modliar—Rattemahatmeya of the Bintenne Division of Oovah, consisting of Bintenne, Araloopitiye Palate and Polwatte Corle 60*l*

Nayna Markan—Chief of the Madigey Moors of Welasse 22*l* 10*s*

NUWERA ELLIA DIVISION.

Welegedere Yapa Mudianselage Kiri Banda—Rattemahatmeya of Upper Hewahette 60*l*.

Andrewewey Naresinhe Mudianselagey Appoohamy—Rattemahatmey of Waleponey 72*l*

Wellegedere Yapa Mudianselagey Ukkoo Banda—Rattemahatmeya of Kotmalie 60*l*

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Haterabage ..	A. Gun ..	S. Schofield
Ballangodde ..	W. Huxham ..	J. Wyllie
Dampitia ..	Don S. Kuruppu Koral	D. S. Kuruppu
Barra ..	C. Shand ..	J. Harding

District.	*Estate.*	*Proprietor or Agent.*
Four Corles.		
Tunpalate Pattoo ..	Ambulowanewatte ..	Mr. Reid
	Gudadessa ..	A. R. Crowe & Co.
„ ..	Waketia ..	Mr. Gomis
„ ..	Hunugalkanda ..	Messrs. Dundas
„ ..	Hinegalle ..	Mr. Mackwood
„ ..	Kottegalle ..	Do.
„ ..	Parekande ..	Do.
„ ..	Morotawatte ..	Mr. Gerard
„ ..	Punchy Lapalawatte ..	A. Stephens
„ ..	Kekunegalle ..	The late Mr. W. Ferwerda
„ ..	Gattecowellewatte ..	Gabriel De Silva
„ ..	Gallenawadiewatte ..	Merasamy
Galbodde Korle ..	Oerakande ..	Mr. A. Brown
„ ..	Koowillekande ..	F. Lambe
„ ..	Hunugalekanda ..	Mr. Gerard
„ ..	Kallogallekande ..	Mr. Ebert
„ ..	Pahalakadogannawe ..	The late G. D. Zoysa Modliar
„ ..	Moregahahewewatte ..	
Lower Bulatgam ..	Yacdesse Ella ..	Mr. MacCulloch
„ ..	Pahaletebbowatte ..	do.
„ ..	Pittekanda ..	W. Cawthorne
„ ..	Halmokolane ..	G. Morrison
„ ..	Weweyetalawe ..	Do.
„ ..	Raddatottewatte ..	T. O. Chavineau
„ ..	Kereweterenewatte ..	Do.
„ ..	Lepallegallewatte ..	Mr. Robertson

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

District and Estates.	*Proprietors or Agents.*	*Resident Managers.*
YATTINOOWERA.		
Mahebalongalle -	Wilson Ritchie & Co. -	James Leslie
New Do. -	Do. -	Do.
Kadogannaawe -	A. W. Heale & Co. -	J. Clark
Kiri Mettia -	Crowe and Company -	Dr. Marshall
Amoonoopoorey -	Don Carolis Appoohamy	Don Carolis Appoohamy
Richmond -	Alexander Brown -	Whetton
Bellevue -	A. Brown -	Resident
Peradenia -	Baring Brothers & Co. -	J. Hawk
Govinda -	Do. -	J. Wright
Maha Oya -	Do. -	Do.
Dodanwelle -	Hawk & Gerard -	F. Hawk
Gangarua -	Barnes -	Northway

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UDUNOOWERA.		
Providence	G. Pears	G. Pears
Parenepattia	F. Solomon and 2 others	C. Evans
Johannesberg	Do. and another	M. B. Parys
Colpitty Hill	Do.	Do.
Vermillion Rock	Do.	Do.
Alpitte Cande	J. & G. Smith	F. Solomon
Gadadesse	Crowe and Company	
Wegirikande	F. Solomon	F. Solomon
Franklands	Viner and Gerard	J. Lambe
Church Hill	Do.	Do.
HARRISPATTOO.		
Odahena	Swan and Kier	A. Guthrie
Katukittoola	George Pride	Do.
Gomenawe	Swan & Kier	Do.
Ambacoombera	W Kier	
Balacadowe	A. Nicol	
Laboogahella	S. Lakeman	
Ancoomboore	George Pride	Stiven
Do.	Do.	W. Williams Wynn
Morankande	Swan and Keir	Lindsay
Yaheletenne	J. I. Strachan	J. Goonesekere
Doolwelle	A. Brown	Perera
Gadepolle	S. Lakeman	
TOOMPONE.		
Peak	Crowe and Company	A. Lindsay
Kudagalle	Marshall and Martin	J. Rice
Greenwood	Robertson & Kier	H. Robertson
Dunera	Do.	Do.
Gallegedere	Hon. W. Villiers	T. P. Archbald
LOWER DOOMBERA.		
Rajewelle	Mortimer and Tytler	J. Gordon
Do.	J. Ingleton and others	J. Ingleton
Ambecotte	Morton & Tytler	J. Gordon
Mahaberia	R. D. Gerard	H. Baird
Gavatenne	Crowe and Company	Pitts & Gavin
Pattampaye	J. G. Smith and Co.	A. Millie
Hatelletenne	R. D. Gerard & Co.	J. Hampton
Tunnisgalle	R. D. Gerard	Huxham
Middleton	Villiers	S. Thwaites
Bambereelle	Darley Butler and Co.	G. Urquhart
Katuloya	Do.	A. F. Harper
Gomeretenne	Do.	Do.
Moragahagalle	W. Huxham	Do.
Kandekettia	J. R. Fulton	
Allecolle	R. D. Gerard	J. Wright
Madoolkella	W. Huxham	D. Stewart
Oonoonoogalle	Do.	D. Stewart
Maussakelle	Henry Rudd	G. Rudd
Liangalle	G. Crewell	Campbell
Deyenille	Dundas and others	Coate
Relugas	McKelligan	J. Fraser
Meemorakande	Morton and Tytler	G. Wait, A. Wilson
Sagalacande	Do.	Do.
Wattekelley	A. N. Scott	W. Graves
Kallibokke	W. Huxham	J. Lambert
Galleheeria	Do.	Do.
Madakelley	Vanderspaar & Co.	J. Menzie
Henegahawelle	R. D. Gerard & Co.	Baird
Kondesalle	Captain Bird	Towgood

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Pallikele	W. Huxham	
Deegalle	W. Huxham	
Nelloomalay	Mortimer and Tytler	R. MacCarthy
Hoolookande	Do.	A. Wilson
Upper Doombera.		
Hangoroogame	W. F. Robertson	Robertson
Woodside	A. and D. Findlay	A. Findlay
Rangalla	A. Nicol	Martin
Lovegrove	Do.	Payne
Rangalla	Duckworth	Duckworth
Do.	Dr. Duncan	J. Willox
Do.	T. Pride	T. Pride
California	E. Eager	E. Eager
Nugetenna	Messrs. B. Armitage and Captain Stevens	MacIntyre
Wattekattia	A. Reid	
Dodangolle	J. Gavin	W. Turner
Ellen Maria	Stainton	Resident
Allea Vittenatenna	Gavin & Turner	W. Turner
Gallakella	James Gordon	
Upper Bulatgam.		
Baherundra	Sir J. E. Elphinstone	J. Macdonald
Rillagalle	Sir J. E. Dalrymple	Do.
Atherton	J. K. Jolly	J. B. Lamont
Barcaple	Wilson Ritchie & Co.	G. Paterson
Korookoodey	P. E. Wodehouse	W. Thompson
Woodstock	Tristram and Gore	G. Morrison
Galbodde Middle	Mackwood & Co.	D. de Silva
Galbodde Lower	E. Arvey	L. Boyer
Galbodde Upper	Mackwood & Co.	D. de Silva
Templestone	F. Templer	J. W. Thompson
Saunders Court	R. D. Gerard & Co.	G. Morrison
Werelugastallawe	P. Anstruther	Appoohamy
Kintail	Do.	Oliver and
Hyndford	Do.	R. Matherson
Imboolpittia	G. Bird	G. Bird
Lower Mukalane	J. N. Stoddart	J. N. Stoddart
Dahenaikekande	P. Fincham	
Inchyra	F. Anderson	W. Grant
Agrawatte	W. P. Grant	W. Grant
Trafalgar	Dr. Unwin	W. Hood
Pareveny	F. B. Norris	
The Burn	J. K. Jolly	W. B. Lamont
Gallamudune	A. & B. Scott & Co.	W. MacCullagh
Tibbowattowe	Ceylon Plantation Co.	F. Grant
Wadiacadulle	J. Stofford	W. Grant
Wattawella	D. Kershaw	Do.
Horagalle	Mrs. Stewart Mackenzie	R. McGregor
Yakdesse	Ceylon Plantation Co.	F. Grant
Dotalla	Baron Delmar	R. Crawford
Pittekande	Grimshaw & Co.	W. Cawthorn
Amuhena	R. D. Gerard & Co.	Slatterly
Dickoya	D. Kershaw	J. Turner
Hangeran Oye	W. King	W. King
Wewehalawe	Taylor and Potter	
Udepalate.		
Gampola Estate	Capt. H. C. Bird	Dr. Shipton
Wahugeypittia	H.&L.Bird & Sobanadiere	J. James
Black Forest	Capt. Bird	H. Towgood

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Kehalwatte	Dawson & Co.	A. Haultain
Amboolooowawe	Ceylon Plantation Co.	W. Rose
Hunagalla	Kier Dundas & Co.	
Peacock	Sir J. Wilson	E. Francis
Doragalla	A. C. White	Appleton
Kabberagalle	A. Brown	R. Wise
Gadadesse	A. R. Crowe & Co.	E. Mortimer
Gonaadukoowe	Messrs. Scovell	Tucker
Pen-y-lan	R. D. Gerard	J. Blackett
Kellie	Do.	J. Glenny
Dorset	Col. Carpenter	A. Cuthbert
Barnagalla	J. Stone	J. Stone
Raxawe	J. Hartley	H. Coxon
Paroogalle	J. Stephens	
Allagolle	J. Freckleton	A. A. Cuthbert
Windsor Forest	Gerard and Nicol	T. O. Chauvineau
Hill side	J. S. Robertson	J. A. Bell
Madolheena	J. Laing	J. Laing
Kelvin	Gerard and Nicol	J. Ambrose
Hormanjie	B. and A. Hormanjie	
Cattaram	A. A. Cuthbert	A. A. Cuthbert
Gallowekanowe	Dr. Miller	J. Miller
Moolegame	B. A. Branner	R. Hadden
Calugamowe	Sir John Wilson	E. Daley
Hindegalle	Henry Rudd	W. Rudd
Wattegode	W. Huxham	Do.
Wariagolle	C. T. Arbuthnot	G. Francis
Nillembe	Sir John Wilson	E. Dale
Vedihette	Sir John Cheap	C. Mortimer
Delta	Baron Delmar	F. R. Sabonadiere
Do. North	Do.	Geo. Bird
Do. South	Do.	T. Theobald
Do. West	Do.	J. Harding
Do. Central	Do.	R. MacCombe
Rothschild	G. & M. B. Worms	G. Worms
Peak Forest	Do.	I. C. Jones
Lower Peak Forest	Do.	G. Bodie
Rothschild, eastern division	Do.	Cummings
Condegalle	Do.	G. Gidlow
Moneregalle	T. Hartley & Co.	G. Morrice
Gawerekadde	Sir J. Wilson	G. Wait
Upper Kandelawe	Grey and Company	J. Dale
Peacock Hill	Baring Brothers	J. Catto
Katukitulla	W. Thompson	J. Barker
Glenlock	John and B. Tyndall	J. Tyndall
Melfort	Frith Sands & Co.	N. Stewart
Nyapane	Major Lillie	R. Houston
Harmony	Sparks	Sparks
Yattepiangalle	Kier Dundas and Co.	S. Mootoosamy
Natta Cande	J. N. Stanley	J. B. Stanley and R. England
Oorakande	A. Brown	Rossiter
Morottie	R. D. Gerard	Blackett
Hormasjie	Darley Butler & Co.	Chauvineau
Alatadenia	Andrew Nicol	Do.
Lola Montes	J. Northmore	J. Northmore
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Pooprasse	J. Segar	J. Segar
Torrington	Do.	Do.

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Upper Kalukitoole	J. G. Reddie	P. D. Mille
Dummelegastalawe	F. Lambe	Fisher
Karegastalawe	J. G. Reddie	J. G. Reddie
Lower Hewehette.		
Naranheena	G. Pride	J. Howie
Little Pattiagame	Lemarchand	Lemarchand
Great Pattiageme	Do.	Do.
Little Valley	Wilson Ritchie & Co.	Bannerman
Great Valley	Freckleton	T. Freckleton
Popittia	J. L. Gallie	J. Emerson
Bawlane	H. Rudd	R. Rudd
Maupakelle	Brown & Sobandiere	Sobanadiere
Gallantenne	Colonel Braybrooke	Thomas
Deltotte	Capt. Meaden	J. Meaden
Gallaha	Sir J. Cheap & J. Bell	
Dunally	D. Kershaw	W. Sabonadiere
New Uduwelle	Baring Brothers	W. Newman
Old Uduwelle	Do.	Do.
Shrubs Hill	Sinne Lebbe	Miskin
Haregame	W. J. Soysa	Gurunanse
Walepone.		
Tolloes	Preston & Ouchterlony	Wm. Boyd
St. Margaret's	Messrs. Perry & Co.	J. M. Wilson
Monwick	Baron Delmar	R. Crawford
Matelle.		
Pittekande	R. B. Tytler	Douglas
Midland & Bamberegalla	Stronge	Stronge
Bamberegalle	D. Bernard Aratchy	A. Garnicus
Odelemand	S. Keir	D. Robert
Niloya	Do.	Do.
Hunugalle	F. & C. Hadden	J. F. Moir
Dankanda	Strachan and Tytler	H. Price
Kinrara	S. Keir	R. J. Mackay
Damboolagalle	R. B. Tytler	Strachan
Kandenoowere	G. Steuart & Co.	J. Macpherson
Halgolle	F. & C. Hadden	D. Moir
Caberegalle	S. Keir	J. F. Churchill
Mousagalla	Kier & Mackay	Native
Weygalle	F. and C. Hadden	P. Moir
Pongalle	S. Kier	Douglas
Vicarton	J. K. Jolly	W. A. Swan
Berkshire or Asgeria	T. Viner	J. Forbes
Wiltshire	Do.	Do.
Ettapollagalla	J. Parting	J. Nicholas
Galgeywatte	Brown	A. S. Middleton
Mahatenne	R. D. Gerard	A. Adie
Elkadoowe	Ceylon Plantation Company	A. Adams
Hapuwidde	Do.	J. P. Potts
Hunnasgeria	W. Tyndall	W. Duncan
Do.	Do.	W. Gordon
Do.	Do.	J. H. F. Macklewie
Do.	Do.	W. Henderson
Dotallagalle	Ceylon Plantation Co.	H. C. Bury
Algooltenne	Do.	Mackie

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Selawakande	S. Kier	N. Wyllie
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Cabrooseella	A. Nicol	Clement
Goddepola	Brown & Middleton	Williamson
Wariapolle	J. Fraser	J. Macpherson
Katarantenne	G. Pride	J. H. Phillipsz
Ambooke	R. D. Gerard & Co.	Mitchell
Kent	Do.	Do.
Beeridiwelle	S. Lakeman	S. Lakeman
Goorelehelle	Price & Bousted	G. Treck
NEWERA ELLIA.		
Upper Hewehette.		
Allecolewawe	W. N. Robertson	J. Peeris
Marigold	E. A. Bartholomeusz	F. De Silva
Gallalle	Rose & Brothers	D. Rose
Pitterelle Yakabendikelle	Dalrymple and Adams	John Rose
Rahetoongodde	Pitts & Gavin	J. Rose
Muloya	Do.	J. Rennie
Hope	Dr. Jackson	W. Bannerman
Gonaway	T. Freckleton	J. N. Martinstyn
Medegomme	R. D. Gerard	J. Ryan
Hangorankette	W. Jeronis Soyza Modliar	W. M. De Soyza
Wewetenna	Do.	Do.
Ratmetioya	Do.	Do.
Rickillegaskadewatte	D. A. De Silva	D. A. De Silva
Naranheena	G. Pride	W. A. Howie
New Maddegame	R. D. Gerard & Ryan	P. Ryan
KOTMALIE.		
Tispone	D. Stewart	D. Stewart
Harangolle	Colonel Fletcher	W. R. Duff
Katagalla	W. R. Duff	Do.
Dodangalle	A. Berwick	J. B. Sadler
Hunugaloya	Hon. D. Fortescue	J. B. Saddler
Heenawelle	G. S. Duff	G. Crosbie
Yalabindoowe	Moffatt & Gerard	W. T. Richmond
Tellisangolle	Col. Brown & G. S. Duff	G. Crosbie
Halgolle	A. N. Gordon	N. Gordon
Gongalle	R. J. Corbett	F. Berwick
Dodanwelle	Messrs Berwick	Do.
Kolapattena	C. Hay	F. Macdonald
Katubulla	Capt. Gallway	K. MacLellan
Korroaka	Do.	Do.
Hunukotoowe	E. B. Cargill	J. Martin
Dummalagastalawe	Dawson & Co.	D. Elbert
Reliawatte	Windham & Steward	D. Steward
Hunugalle	Wm. F. Johnston	A. Hood
Louisa	G. Odier	E. Viscardi
Ratmulelekella	D. Steward	E. Viscardi
Palleradaella	F. Hudson & A. Hunter	A. Hunter
Radaella	F. H. Palliser	F. H. Pallisser
Ratmulekelle	Do.	A. Hunter
Wedemullekelle	H. Smith	J. B. McIntyre
Rambode and Dewekinde	General Fraser	J. Sinnoth
Union	J. W. Wright & T. Hudson	J. W. Wright
Niagara	Do.	Do.

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Queensbury	G. Curbie	C. Adams
Dametegas	A C. White	Whittaker
Glenlock	J. B. Tyndall	J. Tyndall
Wademulle	Major Kelson & Dr. Garstin	E. McLellan
Palagalla	George Watt	F. Kelson
Bogahewatte	J. C. Bannister	E Francis
Wattegode	A. K. Johnston	A. Hood
Wowenden	Capt. H. G. Hayes	J. F. Falconer
Meeriscotowekelle	John Lyon Fraser	John Lyon Fraser
Poojagodde	Capt. H. G. Hayes	Gordon
Helbodde	Heirs of the late Colonel McPherson.	G. Sheriff
Upper Katukittola	J. G. Reddie	P. D. Millie
Lower do.	Do.	P. MacRae
Dommelegastalawe	Wm. Kier	W. Kier
BADULLA.		
Kaneweralle	D. Bernard Vidahn Aratchy	A. Garnicus
Dickbedde	A. Davidson	A. Davidson
Dehiwinne	Do.	J. E. Tap
Haputela	Do.	A. MacFarlane
Kabegolle	Do.	
Unoogalle	J. V. DeWith	P. Tamby
Ridipane	A. M. Chetty	A. M. Chetty
Katugodde or Mary land	C. Galland & M. D. Malta	A. Bertlin
Odoowera	Do	Do.
Gongaltenne	J. J. Vanderspaar & Co.	Do.
Wewelheena	G. T. Baines	C. C. Byers
Nawella	Dawson & Co.	P. Ryan
Spring Valley	J. Bannatyne	T. Wood
Pallagolla	Messrs. Brodie Bogue & Co.	J. Velcher
Weewisse	Cawasjie Eduljie & Co.	J. T. Henry
Dabedde	Do.	Do.
Kirklees	J. & M. B. Armitage	A. Vallance
Gawerekelle	J. & G. Smith & Co.	G. Bogue

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.—KURNEGALLE.

Hundoorookande	Messrs. Swan & Scott	J. Stephens
Woodlands	G. Perera	
Tampane	Do.	Resident
Dodantalawe	A. Nicol	Native Cangany
Greenwood	H. Robertson	Resident
Bolutwillekande	Capt. W. Fisher	E. Maclellan

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Sugar Estates.

WESTERN PROVINCE.

Situation.	*Estate.*	*Proprietor.*
Raygam corle ..	Etgalle and Perth ..	Messrs. Dawson and Dickson

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

Yattinowere ..	Peradenia ..	Baring, Brothers & Co.

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

GALLE.

Wattereke ..	Kappoelleaddere Owitte.	Mr. C. Gardette
Do. ..	Leyenegeydewelwatte ..	W. Carolis Appoo
Gonapinowelle & Warrolgalle ..	Paradise ..	Mr. A. Odier
Baddigam ..	Mohaindegaha Liadde	Mrs. Sarah Winter & Sons
Do. ..	Tuttire Liadde	
Do. ..	Kosgaha Liadde	
Do. ..	Eremodogaha Liadde	
Akurettiye ..	Koedakantram Owitte	
Do. ..	Dewturnwellelange Owitte	Mr. James Purvis Cock
Ginnemellagaha, Tellicadde and Walpitte ..	Shandon ..	„ J. M. A. Montclar
Tellicadde ..	Wellekettiye Owitte ..	Don Andris de Silva Maddooma Appoo
Oedogamme ..	Yack Owitte ..	Don David de Silva
Maplegame ..	Kosgaha Owitte ..	Don David de Silva
Do. ..	Talgaswelle Mukelane ..	Mrs. Orr
Gonelagodde ..	Nedoom Owitte ..	Aron de Silva Gonewardene
Ganegame ..	Ettewellemollehene ..	Mr. J. M. A. Montclar

MATURA.

Parredoowe ..	Okwatte ..	Lord Elphinstone

Cinnamon Estates.

WESTERN PROVINCE.

ALOOTCOOR CORLE (NORTHERN DIVISION)

Estate.	*Proprietor.*	*Estate.*	*Proprietor.*
Bagatelle ..	Arbuthnot & Co.	Kattooneka ..	Baron Delmar
Pallanchena ..	Mr. G. Stork	Damboowa ..	Mr. F. De Saram
Pottoda ..	C. Stewart		M. Perera
Imboolgaswadia ..	Mr. Daniels	do. ..	Soosey Soiza
Demanhandia ..	„ Ouchterlony	do. ..	A. De Abrew Rajepakse Modliar
Kimboolapitia ..	„ Young	do. ..	Appoo Canghan
Oolooambalam ..	„ Daniels	do. ..	G. de Soyza Modliar
Goloowapocoone ..	„ D. Smith	Mookalangamoowa	Siman De Silva
Kandettia ..	Lieut. Margesson	do. ..	S. Mendis Mohandiram
Mootoowadia ..	A. de Abrew Rajepakse Modliar	do. ..	Gabriel Appoo
do. ..	G. de Soyza Modliar	do. ..	M. Domingo Fernando
Ewariawatte ..	Sadris Mendis Mohandiram	do. ..	D. J. Appoohamy
do. ..	Gabriel Appoo	Bandarewatte ..	F. De Silva
do. ..	A. de Abrew Rajapakse Modliar	Dawalegahawatte	Mr. Maartensz
Andiambelam ..	Do.	Colleformice ..	H. Bessell
Ewariawatte ..	L. de SoyzaAratchy	Kattoonaike ..	Soosay Zoysa

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ALOOTCOOR CORLE (SOUTHERN DIVISION.)

Estates.	*Proprietors.*	*Estates*	*Proprietors.*
Ekele ..	Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co.	Kanooewne ..	Mr. Brayard
do. ..	,, Simson & Co.	Anikande (nutmeg)	P. Anstruther
do. ..	,, Armitage&Co.	Coshianawatte ..	do.
do. ..	A. D. Raymond	Welisere (nutmeg and cloves) ..	A. Smith
do. ..	The widow of the late Coomaresamy, Modliar..	do. ..	Don Andris Aratchy & others
		do. ..	B. Nicholas Silva
do. ..	F. de Silva ..	Magammene ..	Mr. Stork & others
do. ..	The estate of the late A. W. Fernando Aratchy	Kandeney ..	M. Mendis Aratchy & others
		Weligampitiaweley	Cawaljie Eduljie
do. ..	G. Alvis & others	Kapoowatte ..	Mr. Marshall
do. ..	Joseph Chitty ..	Do. ..	R. Hendoo Appoo
do. ..	F. de Silva ..	Wellisere	Thapanis Perera
Raddoloowe ..	D. de Abrew Rajepakse Modliar		

SALPITTY CORLE.

Ratmalane ..	F. J. Templer, Esq.	Oedahamulle ..	Messrs. J. and H. Raffel, and J. L. Alwis
Morottoo ..	Messrs. R. Dawson & A. Gun		
do. ..	Hormanjie Espondarjie	Boralla ..	W. Ritchie
		Wellikade ..	Dr. J. B. Misso
do. ..	C. P. A. de Silva	Do.	do.
do. ..	Estate of L. Pinto	Boralla ..	D. M. Tillekeratne Aratchy
do. ..	J. Soysa Modliar		
do. ..	Hon. W. C. Gibson, Esq.	Rajegiria ..	A. Ponnambelam
		Boralla ..	A. Ponnambelam
do. ..	J. S. Fernando	Kappetia ..	S. L. Markan
do. ..	Joseph Pieris	do. ..	C. J. Fernando
do. ..	G. Steuart	Nawale ..	B. Silva Aratchy
do. ..	L. Soysa	do. ..	M. Rodrigo
do. ..	J. Soysa, Modliar	Punche ..	Rev. J. Thurstan
do. ..	B. M. S. Mendis	do. ..	W. Taylor
do. ..	G. B. Fonseka and others	do. ..	J. de. Fransz
		Walauwe ..	Don Hendrick Senewiratne, and others ..
Dawetegaha ..	Messrs. J. W. Schokman & J. J. Van Geyzel	Mapitia ..	J. de Fransz ..
Karpinchegaha ..	W. Taylor	Timbiligasgeya ..	C. E. Breard
Cottah ..	D. J. Dias, Modliar	do. ..	W. Ritchie
		do. ..	D. M. SilvaAratchy
		do. ..	Don Johannis
		Pelengaha ..	D. Coorey Aratchy

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Cocoanut Estates.

WESTERN PROVINCE.

Situation.	*Estate.*	*Proprietor.*
Allootcoor Corle Northern division.	Badalgama watte.	Dr. Elliott.
"	Cosgaha lande.	Mr. J. Armitage.
"	Daloopatgedere.	Lieut. P. D. Margesson.
"	Nywala.	Mr. J. Armitage.
"	Petigoda.	Dr. C. Elliott.
"	Catookende Mookelane.	Messrs. Butler & Co.
"	Pallansena.	Manuel de Croos.
"	Meriswatte.	Philip Fernando.
"	Dawategaha watte.	M. Domingo Fernando.
"	Waljapaley.	Messrs. Wilson & Co.
"	Horemookalana.	Mr. J. Stephen.
"	Petigoda.	Baron Delmar.
"	Dombawinna.	William King.
Southern division.	Kanoowangalle.	Mr. Piachaud and others.
Cina Corle.	Horregolle watte.	D. S. Dias, Bandarenaike Modliar.
Oedoogahapattoo.	Pasyalle watte.	do.
"	Kongasyaye watte.	do.
"	Ritigasyaye watte.	do.
Gangeboddepattoo.	Mahawallewatte.	do.
"	Pambehene watte.	do.
"	Dippelleye watte.	do.
"	Paloogame Mookolane watte.	The Estate of Siman Peris Vidahn Aratchy.
"	Pelengaha lande.	The Estate of Sooriappe-roomegey Thomas appoo
"	do	Sooriapperoomegey Paulu Peries (alias) Malhamy.
"	do	do.
"	Kekoonegaha lande.	S. Sinho Appoo.
"	Delgaha lande.	do. Siman Appoo.
"	Galbode lande (alias) Goddeporegaha lande.	do. do.
"	Kosgaha lande.	Sammandapperoome Mohottigey Alwis Appoohy.
"	Millegaha watte.	C. Perera, Padicare Moh.
"	Wailgame Kooroondoo watte.	Don Johanis de Silva, Aratchy.
Meddepattoo.	Kallegediheene watte.	J. A. Perera, Modliar.
"	Tennekoon watte.	Louis de Lewera, Modliar.
"	Naranwolle watte.	D. H. Dassenaike, Modliar.
"	Bandarewatte.	J. J. De Saram, Modliar.
Adicarypattoo.	Bandarewatte.	Oendatchy pulle, Modliar.
Hewegam Corle.	Haddoowe watte.	Messrs. Skinner & Power.
"	Kattebodey watte.	Mr. Armitage.
"	Salawe watte.	do.
"	Nawegomoowe watte.	Mr. Steuart.
"	Wanepotoomookelane watte.	Mr. L. De Lewera, Modliar.
"	Gallewillemookelanewatte	do. do.
Hewegam Corle.	Paregaha watte.	Mr. L. De Lewera, Modr.
"	Pelengaha watte.	do. do.
"	Wanepotoomookelane watte.	A. D. Saram, late 2nd Maha Modliar.
"	Kooroopoatchiamookelane watte.	Polwattegey Abraham Cangan.
"	Taldiyawalle watte.	Jayemaanne Mohottigey Don Juan Appoohamy.

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Situation.	*Estate.*	*Proprietor.*
Rygam Corle.	Moottettoo Mookelane.	Messrs. Dawson & Dickson
„	Bocottoowe Mookelane.	do.
„	Medde Mookelane.	do.
„	Pattepelpolle watte.	Ranesingey Baba Appoo and others
„	Ratmalegodde watte.	Telgey David Peries.
„	Cospottoo Mookelane.	Egodahagey Don Siman.
„	Goorookade Mookelane.	Caloobowillegey Siman.
„	Noogegaha lande.	Egodahagey Malhamy & others.
„	Kiripellegaha lande.	Hettiatchigey Hendrick
„	Pantia Mookelane.	M. Andris Perera.
„	Ballantoodawe watte.	do.
Salpitty Corle	Juaniawatte.	Mr. W. Thomson.
„	Kudawallewatte.	„ Cornelis Gomis
„	Do.	„ Lorenso Gomis
„	Juaniawatte.	The Estate of B. Fonseka Aratchy.
„	Mahawallewatte.	L. De Saram and others
„	Alutwatte.	Fredrick Perera
„	Apothecaraywatte.	Do.
„	Do.	Domingo Fernado
„	Kitooleywillewatte.	The Estate of A. Perera, Aratchy.
„	Do.	Juan De Mell.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

Cadawewe ..	Horrekelle ..	Wilson Ritchie & Co.
Madampe ..	Pepper Garden ..	Don A. W. Jayewardene
do.	Allotwalawewatte ..	H. Seneweratne, Modliar
Mahawewe ..	Malegawatte ..	Ramayah of Colombo
Marawelle ..	Bandarrewatte ..	D. Gabriel Appoo
Ihele Kattoneria ..	Kattooneriawatte ..	D. Fernando

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

Galle.		
Wackwelle ..	Dollegodde Hene ..	Mrs. N. Austin
„ ..	Austin's hill ..	Mr. W. Austin
„ ..	Hume's hill ..	Mr. J. A. Hume
„ ..	Sonnencalb's hill ..	Mr. H. Sonnencalb
„ ..	Armitage's hill ..	Mr. B. Armitage
Hirrembooray ..	Ellenborough hill ..	Rev. N. Garstin
Indoraneywille ..	Indoraneywille Estate ..	Mr. J. Wilson
Mapelegame ..	Coodamookelane ..	The Estate of the late Mr. Straube
Madampay ..	Galegoddewatte ..	Mr. H. Sonnencalb
„ ..	Andegahane Tottewatte ..	Do.
Waregodde ..	Yahalgodde bedde ..	Do.
Gonapenuwelle ..	Wawoolagalle ..	Mrs. Winter & Sons
Karendenia ..	Borakandel ..	Mr. Workus
do. ..	Kohillewagoore ..	Mr. T. Dickson
do.	Panilkande ..	Do.
Matura.		
Kapehangodde ..	Walpollegaywatte ..	Mr. D. J. Gogerly
Batevelepategame ..	Batevelewatte ..	Mr. N. Kenendree
Koodelumulle ..	Rabinelgaywatte ..	B. S. J. Goonewardene
Capperetotte ..	Bellicollepaate Bandare-watte ..	S. P. D. T. De Silva
Pittedoowey ..	Deneawatte ..	do.

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EASTERN PROVINCE.

Situation.	*Estates.*	*Proprietor.*
	Trincomalie.	
Tamblegam Pattoo ..	Ootoo Oday ..	Mr. J. Wright
	Batticaloa.	
Eraeorpattoo ..	Sandevelly ..	Messrs. Munro
	Sandevelly ..	Col. Spencer
	Chittandy ..	B. Kidd
	Maylambavelly ..	Dr. Sortain
	Tannamoney ..	Do.
Manmonepattoo ..	Agmere ..	C. Dixon
	Hydrabad ..	Capt. Taylor & Balmain
	Calmone ..	Capt. Taylor
	Carooepenkeny ..	J. Roelofsz and others
	Coorkelmadam ..	McKiligen and others
	Inveragy ..	S. Keir
	Spring Field ..	J. Thompson
	Tetativoe ..	J. R. G. Cumming
Errovilpattoo ..	Cattocolom ..	W. O'Grady
	Caldawelle ..	McKiligen
	Roslin ..	Wm. Enright
	Easter Seaton ..	J. Ouchterlony
Carrewaw ..	Caretivoe ..	A. Nicol and others
Nindoor ..	Nindoor ..	
Ackra ..	Olovil ..	

NORTHERN PROVINCE.

Name of Estate.	*Porprietors.*
Siviaterro	J. Price
Navatcooly	E. McCulloch
Drummond (Victoria)	G. E. Dalrymple
Carombogam	A, S. Finlay& C. Stewart
Moogomale	R. W. Davidson
Klaly	H. Dalrymple
Klaly proper	Sir T. H. Maddock
Woodlands	J. T. Minchin & T. Clark
Ivanhoe	T. Gordon
Nungavil	Heirs of Sir D. R. H. Elphinstone
Tattovenkotty	Sir D. J. H. Elphinstone
Ayanange	A. P. Onslow
Kattyarotan	Do.
Plopalle	Sir T. H. Maddock
Vettokadoo	E. S. Greenway
Koilkadoo	J. J. Cotton & J. J. Minchin
Narvundan	Do.
Manelkadoo	T. Gordon
Kayankadoo	Sir H. E. Montgomery
Tatchenkadoo	Capt. Cathcart
Tanmakeny	Wilson Ritchie & Co.
Kopechykadoo	H. Maclean
Kattakadoo	C. Forbes
Kanegeraven	Do.
Seaford	Mesrs. Forde
Pappakadoo	H. Maclean
Eya katchy	R. J. Dunlop
Taunton	E. A. Blundell
Fairfield	Do.
Cottandarcolom	W. Simpson
Maasar	Sir T. H. Maddock

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Name.	*Place of Abode.*	*Province.*	*Employment or Firm*
Adam, A.	Elkaduwa	C	
Adams, A. Y.	Pittegalla	„	
Adams, P.	Colombo	W	Armitage Brothers
Adie, A.	Mahatenne	C	
Affleck, J.	Kandy	„	
Affleck, T.	Bogambra Mills	„	Engineer
Alexander, T.	Caltura	W	Planter
Alldricks, G. S.	Trincomalie	E	Master Shipwright
Allen, Rev. J.	Mutwal	W	Baptist Missionary
Alsop, J.	Pettah	„	Police Constable
Alston, J. B.	Colpetty	„	Alston, Scott and Co.
Alvin, P.	Colombo	„	A. W. Heale and Co.
Andreas, V.	Putlam	N.W	
Ankle, J.	Colombo	W	
Appleton, J. T.	Pusselawe	C	
Arbuckle, M.	Kandy	„	Milne, Cargill & Co.
Archbold, J. P.	Gallegedere	„	
Armitage, J.	Mutwal	W	Armitage Brothers
Arthur, H. A.	Paredowe	S	
Ashworth, T.	Gocniadika	C	
Atherton, R.	Trincomalie	E	Acting Govt. Agent
Atherton, R, jr.	„	„	
Atherton, E. N.	Kaigalle	W	Actg.Asst.Govt.Agent, &c.
Atwell, J.	Colegrain	C	
Bailey, Rev. J. B. H.	Mutwal	W	Inspector of Schools
Bailey, J.	Badulla	C	Asst. Govt. Agent
Bailey, J.	Colpetty	W	Deputy Fiscal
Baird, H. D.	Doombera	C	
Baker, J.	Newera Ellia	„	
Baker, E.	Galle	S	
Baly, Rev. J.	St. Thomas's College	W	Warden of College
Bamforth, Rev. J.	„ „	„	Master College School
Bannerman, A.	Little Valley	C	
Barber, Rev. W.	Jaffna	N	Wesleyan Missionary
Barnes, H.	Kotmalie	C	
Barnes, R. H.	Gannorowa	„	
Barton, W.	Ratnapoora	W	Asst. Government Agent
Barton, H. J.	Cottah	„	Teacher
Batten, W.	St. Sebastian	„	
Bell, J. R.	Colombo	„	Bell, Miller & Co.
Bell, J. A.	Udepalate	C	
Bell, D.	Cotchekadde	W	Armitage Brothers
Bernard, W. D.	Colombo	„	Depy. Comy. General
Bertlin, A.	Badulla	C	
Berwick, F.	Kotmalie	„	
Berwick, T.	Galle	S	Dep. to the Q's. Advocate
Birch, J.W.	Trincomalie	E	Asst. Government Agent
Bird, G.	Imboolpittia	C	
Bird, L.	Pattenawatte	„	

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Name.	*Place of Abode.*	*Province.*	*Employment or Firm.*
Bird, H. C. ..	Kandy	C	
Bisset, J. ..	Weygalle	„	
Bisset, A. ..	„	„	
Black, J. ..	Galle	S	Merchant
Blacklaw, W. ..	Matelle	C	
Blainey, J. M. ..	Galle	S	Merchant
Boake, Rev. B. ..	Colombo	W	Principal Col. Academy
Bodie, G. ..	Pusselawa	C	
Bogue, G ..	Gawerekelle	„	Planter
Bogue, J. M. ..	Colombo	W	Brodie, Bogue & Co.
Bouffiac, Rev. A. ..	Sillale	N	R. Catholic Missionary
Bourne, W. ..	Hewahette	C	
Boyd, W. ..	Udepusselawa.. ..	„	
Boyer, L. ..	Ambegamowe.. ..	„	
Brace, G. ..	St. Sebastian	W	Librarian, U. S. Library
Bravi, Rt. Rev. Dr..	Pettah	„	R. C. Bishop
Braybrooke, P. W. ..	Colombo	„	Acting Auditor General.
Braybrooke, C. H. ..	„	„	Surveyor
Braybrooke, J. F. G. .	„	„	
Bren, Rev. R. ..	Kopay	N	Church Missionary
Brodie, W. C. ..	Colombo	W	Brodie Bogue & Co.
Brook, E. G. ..	Colombo	„	Boat Company
Bowen, P. H. ..	Hewahette	C	
Bowen, W. ..	Kotmalie	„	
Brown, A. ..	Kandy	„	Estate Agent
Brown, E. ..	„	„	
Brown, J. ..	Rajawelle	„	Engineer
Brown, C. J. ..	Pusselawa	„	
Boumont, W. ..	Paragalla	„	
Bullock, A. ..	Newera Ellia	„	
Burleigh, S. V. ..	Trincomalie	E	Fiscal's Department
Bury, S. ..	Pusselawa	C	
Bury, C. G. ..	Lower Hewahette ..	„	
Butcher, R. ..	Galle	S	
Butler, S. ..	Slave Island	W	Darley, Butler and Co.
Byers, C. ..	Badulla .. .	C	
Byrne, H. ..	Jaffna	N	Asst. Civil Engineer
Calaghan, D. ..	Colombo	W	
Caldwell, E. C. A ..	Colpetty	„	2d Master Col. Academy
Campbell, J. ..	Doombera	C	
Campbell, F. C. ..	Knuckles	„	
Campbell, A. ..	Negombo	W	Roads Department
Campbell, F. H. ..	Putlam	N.W	Actg. Police Magistrate
Carey, J. ..	Batticaloa	E	Planter
Carey, J. A. ..	Lower Hewahette ..	C	
Cargill, D. S. ..	Slave Island	W	Milne Cargill and Co.
Carr, Hon. Sir W. O.	Uplands	„	Chief Justice
Carrol, J. ..	Cotanchina	„	
Carson, R. B. ..	Colpetty	„	
Carter, Rev. C. ..	Mattacooly	„	Baptist Missionary
Carter, J. ..	Colombo	„	Wilson Ritchie and Co.
Catto, J. ..	Pusselawa	C	
Caulfeild, Hon. J...	Colombo	W	Acting Treasurer
Charsley, W. P. ..	Kandy	C	Medical Department
Charter, G. ..	Hulfsdorp	W	Engineer
Chavineau, T. O. ..	Windsor Forest ..	C	
Chell, L. ..	Pettah	W	Police Constable
Chives ..	Small Pass	„	
Christian, G. ..	Slave-Island	„	J. M. Robertson &Co.

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Church, V. ..	Colpetty	W	Brodie, Bogue & Co.
Churchill, J. F. ..	Matelle	C	Planter
Chouvinal, Rev. J...	Pooliantivoe	E	R. C. Missionary
Cingolani, Rev. L...	Pettah	W	R. C. Missionary
Clarke, J. ..	Kaduganawe	C	Planter
Clarke, J. A. ..	,, ...	,,	
Clarke, Rev. J. K. ..	Galle	S	Presbyterian Minister
Clarke, W. H. LL.D.	Kurnegalle	W	Acting District Judge, &c.
Clarke, W. ..	Colombo	W	Medical Hall
Clarke, E. C. ..	Ratmewelle	C	Assistant Missionary
Clarke, R. C. ..	Colpetty	W	Broker
Coate, C. ..	Doombera	C	
Cochrane, G. ..	Trincomalie	E	Late Lt. Colonel, C.R.R.
Cock, J. P. ..	Akoretteye	S	
Cohen, W. ..	Colombo	W	
Coles, W. ..	Fort	,,	
Colombo, The Right Rev. J. ..	Mutwall	,,	Lord Bishop
Connell, R. ..	Gampola	C	
Cook, G. ..	Udepalata	,,	
Coxen, H. ..	Udepalate	,,	
Crabb, W. ..	Trincomalie	E	
Crabb, I. ..	,, ...	,,	
Craven, J. ..	,, ...	,,	
Crawford, R. ..	Udepusselawa.. ..	C	
Crawford, J. ..	Matelle	,,	
Creswell, A. ..	Newera Ellia	,,	
Crosbie, G. ..	Kotmalie	,,	
Cuffe, J. ..	Colombo	W	Registrar Supreme Court
Cumming, J. R. G...	Batticaloa	E	
Cummins, P. ..	Badulla	C	Roads Department
Curgenven, C. R. ..	Manar	N	Customs
Cuthbert, J. A. ..	Gampolla	C	
Dale, E. ..	Nillembe	C	
Dalziel, J. ..	Colpetty	W	Police Magistrate
Darley, S. ..	Pusselawe	C	
Darley, E. J. ..	Slave Island	W	Merchant
Darley, E. G. ..	,, ...	,,	
Davis, Rev. J. ..	Kandy	C	Baptist Missionary
Davidson, W. ..	Ambegamowe.. ..	,,	
Davidson, A ..	Hunasgeria, ...	,,	
Davidson, A. ..	Badulla	,,	
Davidson, A. H. ..	Bulatgame	,,	
Davidson, R. W. ..	Patchelapalle	N	Planter
Dawson, J. ..	Viddahette	C	
Dawson, J. F. ..	Colpetty	W	
D'Esterre, R. ..	Kandy	C	Clarke Romer & Co.
Dickson, G. ..	Hantane	W	
Dickson, F. ..	Negombo	,,	Sub-Collector
Dickson, T. ..	Galle	S	A. & J. Ried & Co.
Dickson, T. ..	Colombo	W	Dawson Dickson & Co.
Dixon, C. ..	Batticaloa	E	
Dodsworth, B. ..	Lower Hewahette ..	C	Surgeon and Planter
Douglas, W. ..	Matelle	,,	
Douglas, R. ..	,, ...	,,	
Drummond, J. L. ..	Batticaloa	E	

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Duckworth, W. N. ..	Upper Doombera ..	C	
Duff, G. S. ..	Colombo	W	Manager Oriental Bank
Duff, R. W. ..	Kotmalie	C	
Duncan, W. C. ..	Hunasgiria	„	
Dunlop, R. J. ..	Patchelapalle	N	Planter
Dunn, A. ..	Oolooambelame ..	W	Planter
Dyke, P. A. ..	Jaffna	N	Govt. Agent
Eager, E. R. ..	California	C	
Edley, J. ..	Galle	S	
Edney, C. ..	Brass-founder Street ..	W	
Ellery, W. ..	Kandy	C	Surgeon
Elliott, C. ..	Mutwall	W	Proprietor Observer News-
Elliott, W. ..	Colpetty	„	Clerk [paper
Emerson, J. ..	Hewahette	C	
Endly, R. ..	Lower Hewahette ..	„	Messrs. Baring & Co.
Enright, W. ..	Nawellepittia	„	
Evatt, H. A. ..	Colpetty	W	Acting Commr. of Roads
Falconer, J. ..	Rambodde	C	
Falconer, J. ..	Badulla	„	
Falkner, E. P. ..	Chilaw	N.W	
Farrance, R. ..	Colombo	W	Examiner Newspaper
Fenn, Rev. C. C. ..	Cottah	„	Church Missionary
Ferguson, A. M. ..	Colpetty	„	Ed. Observer Newspaper
Ferguson, W. ..	„	„	Surveyor
Ferguson, J. ..	Kandy	C	Milne Cargill & Co.
Fincham, P. ..	Doombera	„	
Findlay, A. ..	Mademanuera ..	„	
Findlay, D. ..	Colombo	W	Tailor and Clothier
Fisher, W. ..	Kurnegalle	C	Road Department
Forbes, C. W. ..	Kotmalie	„	
Forbes, J. ..	Matelle	„	
Ford, H. ..	Kandy	„	Deputy Post Master
Forbes, W. G. ..	Galle	S	Acting Govt. Agent
Forsythe, W. T. F. ..	Kandy	C	
Francis, E. ..	Kotmalie	„	
Francis, G. ..	Waragolle	„	
Francis, R. ..	Galle	S	Asst. Comnr. of Roads
Fraser, J. L. ..	Kotmalie	C	
Fraser, J. ..	Elie House	W	Asst. Col. Secretary
Fraser, J. ..	Matelle	C	
Fraser, G. G. ..	Manaar	N	Asst. Police Magistrate
Freckleton, T. ..	Hewahette	C	
Fulton, J. R. ..	Doombera	„	
Gardette, C. ..	Hambantotte	C	Planter
Garcia, Rev. F. ..	Chilaw	N.W	
Garstin, Rev. N. D. D.	Galle	S	Colonial Chaplain
Gavin, J. ..	Kandy	C	Pitts & Gavin
Gay, J. ..	Parredoowa, Matura ..	S	
Gerard, R. D. ..	Kandy	C	R. D. Gerard & Co.
Gibbs, J. ..	Gampola	„	
Gibson, Hon. W. C. ..	Colpetty	W	Auditor General

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Gibson, A. ..	Colpetty	W	Merchant
Gibson, T. L. ..	Matura	S	Actg. Asst. Govt. Agent
Gisborne, F. W. ..	Galle	„	Asst. Government Agent
Glenie, Rev. S. O. ..	Trincomalie	E	Colonial Chaplain
Glenie, J. ..	Udepalate	C	
Glenie	Kellie	„	
Gogerly, Rev. D. J. .	Colpetty	W	Wesleyan Missionary
Gogerly, D. ..	„	„	Schoolmaster
Gordon, W. ..	Hunasgiria	C	
Gordon, J. ..	Rajawelle	„	
Gordon, A. N. ..	Kotmalie	„	
Gordon, T. ..	Patchelapalle	N	Planter
Gordon, J. L. ..	Rambodde	C	
Gottelier, A. ..	Colombo	W	
Grace, E. F. ..	Galle	S	Surgeon, &c.
Grant, F. W. ..	Kotmalie	C	
Grant, W. ..	Agrawatte	„	
Grant, A. ..	Rambodde	„	
Grant, A. ..	Wellisere	W	
Grant, J. ..	Matelle	C	
Grant, J. ..	Ambegamowe	„	Planter
Graves, Capt. J. B ..	Kandy	„	Police Magistrate
Graves, W. H. ..	Wattekelle	„	
Gray, W. H. ..	Rajawelle	„	
Gray, A. ..	Horagalle	„	
Gray, F. ..	Trincomalie	E	Roads Department
Gray, J. ..	Holukande	C	
Green, A. G. ..	Wellicadde	W	Governor of Prison
Green, A. W. ..	Kandy	C	Surveyor
Green, J. P. ..	Colombo	W	Merchant
Grey, J. ..	Slave Island	„	
Greig, A. ..	St. Sebastian	„	Engineer
Griffin, C. ..	Trincomalie	E	
Griffith, Rev. R. ..	Jaffna	N	Wesleyan Missionary
Griffiths, C. ..	Trincomalie	E	
Grimshaw, T. ..	Upper Doombera ..	C	
Guides, Rev. P. ..	Putlam	N.W	
Gun, G. ..	Trincomalie	E	Sub-Collector of Customs
Gunn, G. ..	Colombo	W	Parlett O'Halloran & Co.
Guthrie, A. ..	Morankande	„	
Hayden, R. ..	Pusselawa	C	
Hall, W. G. ..	Ambanpittia	W	Asst. Comnr. of Roads
Halliley, W. ..	Mutwal	„	Customs Department
Hampton, J. L. ..	Hattella	C	
Hancock, B. E. ..	Colombo	W	Oriental Bank
Handyside, W. B. ..	Hambantotte	S	
Harding, J. ..	Rakwane	W	
Hardy, T. ..	Patchelapalle	N	Planter
Harper, A. ..	Lower Doombera ..	C	
Harper, A. ..	Colombo	W	Geo. Wall & Co.
Haultain, A. ..	Gampola	C	
Hawke, F. ..	Peradenia	„	Sugar Planter
Heale, A. W. ..	Marandahn	W	Merchant
Henderson, T. ..	Colpetty	„	Milne Cargill & Co.
Herbert, W.H. ..	Colombo	„	Asst. Government Printer
Higgins, Rev. E. F. .	Kandy	C	Church Missionary

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Higgs, J. ..	Trincomalie	E	Master Attendant
Hollady, W. ..	Galle	S	
Hood, A. ..	Ambegamowe	C	
Hood, J. ..	,, ...	,,	
Houston, R. ..	Pusselawa	,,	
Howie, W. A. ..	Hewahette	,,	
Hudson, T. ..	Colombo	W	J. I. Strachan & Co,
Hudson, F. ..	,, ...	,,	F. Hudson and Co.
Hudson, W. ..	Hunasgiria	C	
Hume, J. A. ..	Wackwelle	S	Merchant
Hume, W. W. ..	Jaffna	N	Police Magistrate
Hunter, A. ..	Dimboola	W	
Huxham, B. ..	Knuckles	C	
Huxham, W. ..	Mutwal	W	Merchant
Impett, J. ..	Hydrabad	E	
Ingleton, J. ..	Rajawelle	C	
Ingleton, J. ..	,, ...	,,	
Ingram, G. ..	Colombo	W	Kandy Mail Coach Office
Irving. G. F. ..	,, ...	,,	Brodie Bogue & Co.
Jardine, J. ..	Pettah	W	
Javvius, J. ..	Happuwidde	C	
Jeffreys, J. R. ..	Mutwal	W	
Jellicoe, S J. G. ..	Galle	S	Agent P. & O. Steam Co.
Johnson, J. ..	Allegalle	C	
Jolly, J. K. ..	Hantenne	,,	
Jones, J. C. ..	Udepalate	,,	
Jordan, M. ..	Goonura	,,	
Judd, W. ..	Rambodde	,,	
Keating, Rev. L. ..	Manaar	N	R. C. Missionary
Ker, J. A. ..	Kurnegalle	W	Roads Department
Kellow, M. ..	Newera Ellia	C	
Kellow, W. ..	,, ...	,,	
Kelson, Dr. F. H. ..	Rambodde	,,	Planter
Kenendree, N. ..	Batevelepategame ..	S	
Kennedy, E. ..	Kandy	C	Prinl. Normal Institution
Kessen, Rev. A. L. L. D.	Colpetty	W	
Kettle, W. ..	Udepalate	C	
Kier, S. ..	Kandy	,,	Kier Dundas and Co.
Kier, W. ..	Pusselawa	,,	
Kier, J. L. ..	Haloya	,,	
Kilner, Rev. J, ..	Batticaloa	E	Wesleyan Missionary
King, W. ..	Upper Bulatgame ..	C	
Kydd, J. ..	Slave Island	W	Milne Cargill & Co,
Kydd, R. ..	,, ...	,,	ditto
Laing, W. ..	Upper Bulatgam ..	C	
Laing, J. ..	Udepalate	,,	
Laing, R. ..	,, ...	,,	
Lakeman, S. ..	Arembepola	,,	
Lambe, J. ..	Franklands	,,	
Lambert, J. ..	Doombera	,,	

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Lamont, W. B.	Upper Bulatgam	C	
Lavalliere, T.	Colombo	W	Actg. District Judge
Lawson, G.	Kandy	C	Deputy Queen's Advocate
Layard, C. P.	Colpetty	W	Government Agent
LeBescou, Rev. J.	Pillale	N	R. Catholic Missionar
Ledward, C. H.	Slave Island	W	
Lee, W. D.	Colombo	„	Merchant
Lemarchand, M. J.	Jaffna	N	Planter
Lemarchand, T. W.	Hewahette	C	
Leslie, J.	Kaduganawe	„	
Lewis, W. E.	Putlam	N.W	
Liesching, L. F.	Point Pedro	N	Actg. Police Magistrate
Liesching, C. F. H. L.	Marandahn	W	
Lindsay, A.	Peak	C	
Lindsay, W. F.	Harispattoo	„	
Lindsay	Jaffna	N	Planter
Little, W.	Kandy	C	
Little, J. W.	Kaduganawe	„	
Louther, D. L.	Doombera	„	
Lyford, J.	Rockhill	„	
Macarthy, E.	Kandy	C	Surveyor
Macarthy, R.	Lower Doombera	„	
Macartney, W.	Colpetty	W	Superintendent of Police.
Macbean, Rev. J.	Slave Island	„	Colonial Chaplain.
MacCullagh, W.	Upper Bulatgam	C	
McCulloch, J.	Kittoolgalle	W	Planter
McCulloch, E.	Patchelapalle	N	Planter
McDonald, F.	Ambegamowe	C	
MacDonald, J.	Colombo	W	
MacDonald, D.	Pusselawa	C	
MacDonald, A.	Udepalate	„	
MacDonald, J.	Upper Bulatgam	„	
MacEwen, R.	Kandy	„	Oriental Bank
MacEwen, J	Colombo	W	Ditto
Macfarlane, A.	Badulla	C	
MacGoune, R. A.	Galle	S	Milne Cargill & Co.
Macgregor	Udepalate	C	
Mackay, R. J.	Matelle	„	
Mackelvie, W.	Gallemoodonewatte	„	
Maclellan, R.	Rambodde	„	
Mackenzie, G. A.	Colombo	W	G. Steuart & Co.
MacLeod, J. F.	Bulatgame	C	
Macintyre, J. F.	Mademanuera	„	
MacLachlan, J.	Allegalle	„	
Maclachlan A.	Colpetty	W	Accountant
Mackwood, F.	Marandahn	„	Mackwood & Co.
Maclean, H.	Patchelapalle	N	Planter
Macphail, A.	Kaduganawa	C	
Macpherson, J.	Matelle	„	Planter
Maddock, H. L.	Patchellapalle	N	
Maltby, E.	Negombo	W	
Mathias, Ven. J. A.	Colpetty	„	Archdeacon
Maukol, Rev. L.	Point Pedro	N	R. Catholic Missionary.
Mamson, W. M.	Allootwatte	C	
Manzie, D.	Mahakettia	„	
Marshall, J.	Allegalle	„	
Martin, J.	Hantanne	„	
Martin, J.	Doombera	„	
Martin, J.	Cottagange	„	

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Matheson, R. ..	Weereloogastenne ..	C	
Mauroit, Rev. L. ..	Jaffna	N	R. C. Missionary
Meaden, D. ..	Kandy	C	
Meaden, A. ..	„	„	
Meikle, J. ..	Colombo	W	Milne Cargill & Co.
Mitchel, D. ..	Rackwane	„	
Middleton, J. S. ..	Matelle	C	
Miller, H. ..	Trincomalie	E	
Miller, J. ..	Doombera	C	
Miller, J. ..	Pusselawa	„	
Miller, W. C. ..	Kandy	„	Bell, Miller and Co.
Millie, P. D. ..	Rambodde	„	
Moir, D. ..	Matelle	„	
Moir, J. ..	„	„	
Moir, J. F. ..	Colombo	W	Oriental Bank.
Moir, P. ..	Weygalle	C	
Mola, Rev. J. C. ..	Trincomalie	E	R. C. Missionary
Montclar, J. N. A. ..	Galle	S	Planter
Mooyaart, J. N. ..	Kaigalle	W	
Mooyaart, H. ..	Kurnegalle	N.W	Asst. Government Agent
Mooyaart, Rev. E. ..	Nuwera Ellia	C	Colonial Chaplain
Morrice, G. ..	Pusselawa	„	
Morrice, A. ..	Cottaganga	„	
Morris, G. ..	Udepalate	„	
Morphew, J. ..	Batticaloa	E	Asst. Government Agent
Morphew, J. B. ..	Colpetty	W	
Morris, W. ..	Putlam	N.W	Actg. Government Agent
Morris, R. W. T. ..	Colombo	W	Asst. Government Agent.
Morrison, G. ..	Ambegamowe	C	
Morrison, C. G. ..	Doombera	„	
Mortimer, E. ..	Kaduganawa	„	
Moukal, Rev. J. ..	Putlam	N W	
Murray, A. ..	Jaffna	N	Deputy Queen's Advocate
Newman, W. ..	Hewahette	C	
Nicholas, J. ..	Colombo	W	Watchmaker, &c.
Nicholson, J. ..	Slave Island	„	
Nicol, A. ..	Kandy	C	
Nicol, R. ..	Mutwal	W	A. & R. Crowe & Co.
Nietner, J. ..	Marandahn	„	
Noad, W. ..	Kandy	C	Surveyor
Northmore, J. ..	Pusselawe	„	
Northway, W. ..	Naranghena	„	
Oakley, Rev. W. ..	Kandy	C	Church Missionary
O'Brien C. D. C. ..	„	„	Surveyor
O'Connell, J. ..	Udepalate	C	
O'Connor, H. ..	Newera Ellia	„	
Odier, A. ..	Dimboola	„	Planter
O'Flaherty ..	Colombo	W	
O'Grady, H. E. ..	Trincomalie	E	District Judge
O'Grady, Dr. ..	„	„	
O'Grady, W. ..	Batticaloa	„	
O'Halloran, J. ..	Colombo	W	Merchant
O'Halloran, A. ..	Kandy	C	
Oliver, J. ..	Badulla	„	
O'Neil, Rev. J. ..	Nellore	N	Church Missionary
Ormiston, E. ..	Colombo	W	Mercantile Bank
Orrell, W. ..	Hunasgeria	C	

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Oruna, Rev. F.	Chilaw	N.W	R. C. Missionary.
O'Sullivan	Badulla	C	
Palliser, E.	Dimboola	C	
Palmer, G.	Wattereke	S	Planter
Pargiter, Rev. R.	Sundicooly	N	Church Missionary
Parker, R. H.	Colombo	W	Chemist and Druggist
Parker, W.	,,	,,	Do. Do.
Parsons, R.	Slave Island	,,	Acting Depty. P. M. G.
Parsons, Rev. G.	Baddegam	S	Church Missionary
Parsons, J.	Calpentyn	NW	Police Magistrate.
Parting, J.	Colombo	W	Watchmaker and Daguer-
Paterson, G.	Upper Bulatgam	C	reotypist
Patten, J. M.	Wackwelle	S	
Payne, J.	Petteagamme	C	
Payne, G.	Galbodde	,,	
Pears, G.	Udunewera	,,	
Peck, W.	Colombo	W	Royal Hotel Keeper
Pelisier, Rev. L.	Mantotte	N	R. Catholic Missionary.
Phillips, R.	St. Thomas's College	W	
Piachaud, J.	St. Sebastian	,,	Actuary Savings' Bank.
Plessia, Rev. L.	Putlam	NW	
Plunkett, J.	Upper Bulatgame	C	
Pole, H.	Matura	S	District Judge
Portman, N. B.	Kotmalie	C	
Potts, P. J.	Kandy	,,	
Potter	Dimboola	,,	
Power, E. R. B.	Kandy	,,	Actg. Govt. Agent.
Power, T. C.	,,	,,	Actg. District Judge
Price, H.	Dankande	,,	
Price, J.	Jaffna	N	District Judge
Purcell, D.	Chavagacherry	,,	Actg. Police Magistrate
Purdy, R.	Dolosbagey	C	
Quinton, D.	Jaffna	N	
Reed, C. Y.	Kaderane	W	Planter
Reed, Dr.	Candewella	,,	Planter.
Reid, G.	Udepalate	C	
Reid, J.	Colombo	W	Merchant.
Reid, A.	Galle	S	Merchant
Reynolds, G. H.	Dickoya	C	
Richmond, S. T.	Mutwall	W	Nicol Cargill and Co.
Richmond, W. F.	Kotmalie	C	
Riedy, J.	Colpetty	W	
Rippon, Rev. J.	Galle	S	Wesleyan Missionary
Ritchie, H.	Slave Island	W	Wilson Ritchie & Co.
Robb, A.	Matelle	C	
Robb, W. H.	Hewahette	,,	
Roberts, D.	Shook	,,	
Robertson, H.	Doonera	,,	
Robertson, J.	Matelle	,,	
Robertson, J. M.	Slave Island	W	Merchant
Robertson, W. F.	Doombera	C	
Robertson, F. A.	,,	,,	
Robertson, A.	Hangooroogame	,,	
Robertson	Hunegalle	,,	
Robertson, J.	Kotmalie	,,	
Robertson, A.	Batticaloa	E	
Robertson, W. N.	Awisawelle	W	Police Magistrate

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Robertson, C.	Colpetty	W	Oriental Bank.
Robinson, J.	Colombo	„	
Roddy, C. H.	Slave Island	„	
Roddy, G. H.	„	„	
Roddy, T. F.	„	„	
Romalbery, H. J.	Galowapekoone	„	
Ronayne, D. J.	Galle	S	Collector of Customs
Rose, D.	Gallalle	C	
Rose, W.	Ambelane	„	
Rose, J.	Maturatta	„	
Rose, J.	„	„	
Rossiter, J. M.	Orokande	„	
Rudd, H. Jun.	Colombo	W	
Rudd, R.	Hewahette	C	
Rudd, G. W.	Lower Doombera	„	
Rudd, W.	Hindoogalle	„	
Russell, H. S. O.	Jaffna	N	Actg. Asst. Govt. Agent
Russel, J.	Doombera	C	
Russell, H. W.	Colpetty	W	
Rusbridge, E.	Kandy	C	
Rust, T.	Mutwall	W	Advocate Supreme Court
Ryan, J.	Hewahette	C	
Ryan, P.	Badulla	„	
Sabonadiere, F. R.	Pusselawa	C	
Sabonadiere, W.	Deltotte	„	
Sadler, J. B.	Kotmalie	„	
Sarinem, J. A.	Udepalate	„	
Sauliere, F.	Slave Island	W	Engineer
Saunders, F.	Colombo	„	Collector of Customs.
Schofield, S.	Haterabage	„	
Scott, B.	Colombo	„	A. B. & B. Scott & Co.
Scott, E. B.	Colpetty	„	Surveyor
Scott, J.	Hewahette	C	
Scott, F. W.	Hunugalle	„	
Segar, I.	Pusselawe	„	
Selby, Hon. H. C.	Colombo	W	Queen's Advocate
Selby, J.	„	„	Advocate Supreme Court
Selwood, J. T.	„	„	Parlett O'Halloran & Co.
Semeria, Rev. S.	Jaffna	N	R. C. Missionary
Shand C.	Slave Island	W	Merchant
Shand, L.	„	„	
Shand, J.	Batticaloa	E	
Shaw, B. J.	Hewahette	C	
Shaw, J.	Pusselawe	„	
Sheriff, G.	Helbodde	„	
Shipton, J.	Gampola	„	Surgeon
Simons, Rev. Dr.	Colombo	W	Colonial Chaplain
Simpson, G.	Rakwane	„	
Sinnott, J.	Kotmalie	C	
Skeen, W.	Colombo	W	Government Printer
Smedley, E. H.	Manaar	N	District Judge
Smith, D.	Kaderane	W	Planter
Smith, R.	Halgalle	C	
Smith, H.	Hewahette	„	
Smith, F.	Marandahn	W	Mackwood & Co.
Sonnenkalb, H.	Galle	S	Consul General for Hamburgh
Sorrell, J.	Chundicully	N	
Sortain, J. C.	Batticaloa	E	

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Sparkes, S.	Pusselawe	C	
Spofforth, T.	Slave Island	W	
St. Genys, Rev. K.	Batticaloa	E	R. C. Missionary
Stanley, J. N.	Udepalate	C	
Stainton, J.	Kandy	„	Hotel Keeper
Stavers, P.	Colgrain	„	
Stephen, J.	Kaderane	W	Planter
Stephen, T.	Udewella	C	
Stephens, T. B.	Galle	S	Customs Department
Steward, D.	Nawelpittia	C	
Stewart, D.	Doombera	„	
Stewart, N.	Udepalate	„	
Steuart, J.	Colombo	W	Master Attendant
Stewart, H.	„	„	Editor, Ceylon Times
Stewart, A.	„	„	Oriental Bank
Stiven, H.	Ancumbera	„	
Stoddart, R. R.	Upper Bulatgam	C	
Stone, J.	Udepalate	„	
Storey, E.	Grandpass	W	Supt. of Bridge of Boats
Stronge, E.	Midland	C	
Strachan, J. I.	Colombo	W	Polwatte Mills
Stumpa, J. W.	Paredowa	„	
Sutherland, J. M.	Newmarket	C	
Swan, W. A.	Matelle	„	
Swan, J.	Marandahn	W	Merchant
Tap, J. E.	Badulla	C	
Tate, E.	Udepalate	„	
Taylor, J.	Hewahette	„	
Tatham, R.	Colombo	W	Roads Department
Temple, Hon. C.	„	„	Actg. Puisne Judge
Temple, R.	Nuwera Ellia	C	Police Magistrate &c.
Theobald, W.	Pusselawa	„	
Thomas, L. P.	Gallentenne	„	
Thompson, J.	Colombo	„	Asst. Surveyor
Thompson, J.	Colpetty	„	
Thompson, W. M.	Ambegamowe	C	
Thomson, W.	Ude Bulatgam	„	
Thompson, W.	Weilewatte, Salpitty Korle	W	W. Thompson and Co.
Thurstan, Rev. J.	„	„	Colonial Chaplain
Thwaites, G. H. K.	Peradenia	C	Royal Botanic Garden
Thwaites, S. D.	Kandy	„	
Thwaites, J. M. D.	Deltotte	„	
Tomblin B.	Galle	S	
Todd, J.	Jaffna	N	
Towgood, M.	Doombera	C	
Towgood, H.	Pusselawe	„	
Tranchell, G. A.	Trincomalie	E	Asst. Government Agent
Tranchell, C. A.	„	„	
Tranchell, G. A.	„	„	Late Lt. Colonel, C. R. R.
Treen, T.	Kandy	C	Surveyor
Trehey, B.	Trincomalie	E	
Trimner, A.	Galle	S	
Tucker, C. D.	Kaduganawe	W	
Tuckin	„	„	
Turner, W.	Kandy	C	Engineer
Turner, J.	Upper Bulatgamme	„	

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Turner, W.	Mademanuera	C	
Turner, J.	"	"	
Turner, J.	Paredowe	"	
Turner, J.	Harispattoo	"	
Twynam, T. H.	Galle	S	Master Attendant
Twynam, E.	"	"	
Twynam, W. C	Hambantotte	"	Asst. Government Agent
Tyndall, J. B.	Pusselawa	C	
Tytler, R. B.	Kandy	"	
Urquhart, G.	Kotmalie	C	
Urquhart, J.	Slave Island	W	Milne Cargill & Co.
Vallance, A.	Patchelpalle	N	Planter
Vallance, H.	Udepusselawa	C	
Vane, G.	Slave Island	W	Dep. Collector of Customs
Varney, J.	Colombo	"	
Venn, J. W.	"	"	Auctioneer, Broker, &c.
Venn, F. W.	"	"	Armitage Brothers
Viscardi, J.	Kandy	C	
Viscardi, E.	Dimboola	"	
Vistarini, Rev. J.	Kayts	N	R. C. Missionary
Vivier, Rev. S. M. G.	Manaar	"	R. C. Missionary
Wait, G.	Pusselawa	C	
Walker, C. P.	Galle	S	District Judge
Walker, R. C.	Kandy	C	
Walker, J.	"	"	W. Turner & Co.
Walker, A.	"	"	
Walton, Rev. J.	Trincomalie	E	Wesleyan Missionary
Ward, J.	Massene	W	
Waring, E. G.	Kandy	C	
Warkusz, J. G.	Madampe	S	Planter
Warrington, H.	Trincomalie	E	Naval Storekeeper
Warrington, C.	"	"	
Waters, J.	Parredoowa,	S	
Watson, J.	Colombo	W	Soda Water Manufacturer
Webster, A.	Kandy	C	
Webster, W.	Rakwane	W	
Webster, J.	Slave Island	"	
Wells, A.	Yatteantotte	C	Supt. of Estate
Welsley, C.	Chilaw	N.W	
White, W. J.	Kandy	C	
White, A. C.	Pusselawa	"	Planter
Whiting, G. W.	Colombo	W	Asst. Dep Com. General
Wilkinson, Capt.	Pusselawa	C	Planter
Williams, J. G. A.	Hewahette	"	
Whittaker, J. B.	Pussilawa	"	
Willisford, F. W.	Colombo	W	Physician
Willox, J. C.	Doombera	C	
Wilson, D.	Mutwal	W	Wilson Ritchie & Co.
Wilson, C.	Colpetty	"	Assistant Surveyor
Wilson, R.	Kaloopahane	"	Superintendent of Estate.
Wilson, J. M.	Oodepusselawe	C	
Wilson, A.	Matelle	"	

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Wilson, R. ..	Perth	„	
Wilson, A. ..	Matelle	C	
Winter, G. W. ..	Meemadoome	S	Planter
Wise, Rev. J. ..	Kandy	C	Colonial Chaplain
Wise, A. ..	Mutwal	W	A. R. Crowe and Co.
Wise, R. ..	Bulatgame	C	
Wodehouse, W. H. ..	Marandahn	W	Secretary to Chief Justice
Wood, Rev. I. ..	Cotta	„	Church Missionary
Wood, T. ..	Badulla	C	
Worms, G. B. ..	Pusselawa	C	Planter
Worms, M. B. ..	„	„	Ditto
Worms, A. ..	„	„	
Worms, S. ..	Colombo	W	Joseph & Worms
Wright, J. ..	Ootoo Oday	E	Planter
Wright, J. ..	Union	C	
Wright, W. J. ..	Bulatgama	„	
Wright, J. W. ..	Dimboola	„	
Wright, W. ..	Udepalate	„	
Wright, W. D. ..	Kandy	„	
Wright, J. ..	Doombera	„	
Wylie, N. ..	Selvakande	„	
Wyllie, J. ..	Bomboowa	W	
Wyllie, W. B. R. ..	Kandy	C	
Wynn, W. W. ..	Ancoomboore	„	
Young, W. ..	Hewahette	C	
Young, J. D. ..	Paliantivoe	E	
Young, J. ..	Colombo	W	Overseer
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SELECTIONS FROM THE RECORDS

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*Notes from Mr. Cleghorn's Minute dated 1st June 1799, on the Administration of Justice, and of the Revenues, under the Dutch Government.**

JUSTICE was administered partly according to the Dutch Laws, partly according to the Statutes of Batavia, and to the ancient usages and institutions of the natives.

Statutes of Batavia.—About half a century ago, the Supreme Government of the Dutch in India promulgated a system of Law for the Administration of Justice in their respective settlements. This system is known by the name of the Statutes of Batavia. These Statutes by altering or modifying the Jurisprudence of Holland, endeavoured to reconcile the Government of the Company to the spirit of the natives, and although these Statutes have never received from the superior tribunals of the Republic the sanction of law, still their local utility has induced them to be adopted in all the Colonies. It is these Statutes which now (1799) regulate the functions and duties of the different Courts of Justice and Police in Ceylon.

The Government of Ceylon, with respect to its judicial power, was divided into three Departments.

1st.—Colombo, whose immediate jurisdiction extended along the West coast of the Island, from the River Bentotte to the south, as far as the limits between Putlam and Manaar.

2d.—Jaffnapatam, whose Courts of Justice exercised jurisdiction in the Northern and Eastern part of the Island, from the limits of Putlam and Manaar to the river Koomané or Koombookkan, which separates the country of Batticaloa from that of Matura.

3d.—Galle, whose Courts of Justice exercised jurisdiction in the Southern parts of the Island, from the River Koomané to that of Bentotte.

Appeals lay from the two last mentioned Courts to that of Colombo; and all civil causes above a certain sum, and all criminal causes affecting persons above the rank of a Serjeant, might be carried by appeal from Colombo to the High Court of Justice at Batavia.

All criminal causes were revised by the Governor in Council, who approved or suspended the sentence. But in civil causes the Governor alone received the judgment of the Courts of Galle and Jaffna, and modi-

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* Mr. Cleghorn held the office of "Secretary and Registrar of the Records of the Island of Ceylon." He was appointed in 1798 under the Royal Sign Manual.

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fied them agreeably to His pleasure. This judicial authority, vested in the Governor alone, has continued since the time of Mr. Falck.

These three Courts of Justice in Ceylon, were not composed, like that of Batavia, of persons trained to law, and sent from Europe to administer Justice in the Colonies, independent of the Executive power; the members of these Courts were continually changing. They were appointed by the Governor from the Civil Servants, or Military Officers possessing considerable revenues from the situations they held, and they were obliged to administer Justice without additional salary. Their only perquisite, called Mantall Geld (or money to purchase cloaks) did not exceed £12 per annum.

Besides these three Courts of Justice, there was an inferior one at Trincomalie, which probably owed its institution to the too extensive jurisdiction of Jaffnapatam, to which it was subordinate.

President of the three Courts of Justice.—The Office of President of the Court was invariably filled at Colombo by the first Civil Servant after the Governor. In the other two it was held by the first Civil or Military servants, who being removeable at pleasure, were of course dependent upon the Governor.

Fiscal.—In each of these Courts there was an Officer called the Fiscal, who in some respects might be considered a Judge, and in others, as the Calumniator Publicus. He was nominated by the Supreme Government of Batavia. In civil cases he deliberated, and voted as a Judge; in criminal ones, he was considered as the Public accuser. The functions of this Officer were numerous and important, especially at Colombo. Besides his duty as Fiscal in criminal cases, he was obliged to superintend the carrying out of orders of Government, and to him was committed the inspection of the Police of the town of which he was Justice of Peace; although appointed from Batavia, he was entirely dependent on the Governor.

Civil Raad.—In each of the three Departments of Justice abovementioned, there was also an inferior Court called the Civil Raad (or Council) whose members were composed partly of the Civil Servants of the Company, and partly of the Burgher inhabitants. Its jurisdiction extended no further than the Town and its precincts, and it owed its institution to the necessity of disencumbering the Courts of Justice of a number of small causes which formerly were judged by them in the first instance.

In civil cases it was judged expedient, and even necessary, to allow the people to preserve the laws and customs which had been established by their ancient Princes, or by the Kings of Kandy.

Native Inhabitants.—Two different nations, from a very ancient period, have divided the Island.

First, the *Singhalese*, in its Southern and Western parts, from the river Walawé to that of Chilaw; and secondly, the *Malabars*, in the Northern

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and Eastern Districts. These two nations differ in their religion, language, and manners.

The Malabars have evidently emigrated from the Peninsula of India; they speak the same language; they adopt the same usages, and they follow the same worship as the Malabars of the Coast.

A few individuals of both of these nations are Christians; those of the higher caste professing the Reformed religion, with a view to obtain various offices, which those of that religion alone could hold under the Dutch Government.

Mahomedans.—Besides these two nations, Mahomedans from the Coast of India are spread in great numbers every where along the Coast. They are beyond all comparison the most industrious and useful class of the inhabitants; but being the last settlers, they are regarded not only as strangers by the former, with whose privileges they do not participate, but are moreover very unwisely and unjustly exposed in the European Settlements to a very high Capitation Tax, and other particular imposts.

Veddahs or Bedas.—There is also a nation thinly scattered in the forests, extending from the South-East part of the Island to the Wannie; these are probably the remains of the Aborigines of the country, and are called Veddahs or Bedas. Their condition is perfectly savage; they are ignorant of agriculture; they wander from place to place; their habitation is the tops of trees, and they subsist chiefly upon game which they preserve by immersing it in honey. They are divided into small hordes, under Chiefs, who according to their situation acknowledged the superiority of the King of Kandy or that of the Company. These tribes have hitherto given very little trouble to the Europeans, are of no political consequence in the Island, and are mentioned only as a matter of curiosity.

Territorial Divisions.—The Division of the Company's possessions with respect to Presidencies, differed from that established for the limits of the Courts of Justice. The latter consisted of three, and the former of six Divisions.

1st.—Colombo, whose dependent country, under a Chief called Dessave, extended from the river Bentotte to that of Chilaw.

2d.—Jaffnapatam, whose dependent country, under the Chief Military Officer, extended along the Northern parts of the Island, from the limits between Putlam and Manaar to the river Kokely, the limit of Trincomalie.

3d.—Galle, also under a Military Commander, extended from the river Bentotte to that of Koombookkan the limit of Batticaloa.

4th.—Trincomalie, formerly under a Civil, but latterly under a Military Servant, extended from the river Kokely, the limit of Jaffnapatam, to that of Wisgal, the limit of Batticaloa.

5th.—Batticaloa, under a Civil Servant, extended from the Wisgal to the Koombookkan.

6th.—Calpentyn and Putlam, also under a Civil Servant, extended from the River Chilaw to the limits of Manaar.

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The country dependent upon Colombo was divided into eight Corles, being under the jurisdiction of a Modliar, or Native Chief. His jurisdiction was hereditary by custom, but not by right, and this Officer was obliged to profess the Protestant religion. These different Corles or Dependencies were under the government or superintendence of a Civil Servant of the Company, called a Dessave, who was the fourth person in point of rank of the Government of Colombo. The name and the functions of these Officers are derived from the Kandyan language and institutions. The Dessave collected the revenues of the country, and administered justice to the inhabitants. That he might not interfere with the jurisdiction of the Fiscal, he resided at Hulfsdorf, having there the different offices, warehouses, and servants for carrying on the various branches of his administration.

His occupations were numerous. He was charged with the ordinary correspondence between Government and the Court of Kandy. As a Judge he was obliged to hear and decide all the complaints of the inhabitants, who were not satisfied with the award of the Corle Modliar. There was only one class excepted from his jurisdiction, the Fishermen of Colombo and the adjoining river Mutwall; these were under the Secretary to Government. In lesser criminal cases the Dessave also heard complaints and inflicted punishments. Those guilty of greater crimes were remitted by him to the Fiscal.

Origin of the Landraad.—About sixty years ago, a Court was created, called the Landraad, or Country Councils, of which the Dessave was officially President. This Court was erected with a view to relieve him from a multitude of legal discussions. He referred to it all cases too complicated for his judgment, or which he had not leisure to decide, and from the above period the inhabitants could appeal from the decisions of the Dessave himself to the Landraad, whose forms of proceeding were simple, and the charges attending the few written deeds these required, were fixed at one half of those of the three Courts of Justice formerly mentioned, and to which appeals under certain restrictions, could be made from that of the Landraad. The Landraad was extremely popular, and its decisions were generally and justly respected. A Court of this kind, of easy access, is more particularly necessary in a country where the greater part of the lands are private property, where the revenue is paid in kind, and where of course a variety of little disputes arise between the landed proprietors and the farmers of the revenue.

Colombo.—The Dessave was permanent President of the Landraad. The other permanent members were the Fiscal, the Chief of the Mahabadde, the Thombo keeper, the Maha Modliar, and the Modliar of the Dessave. To these were added five or six other members, generally appointed from the junior merchants, or book keepers, whose employments did not require constant attention.

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Two members were obliged daily to attend the Court to enquire into and decide occasional disputes, and Committees of it were often obliged to go to the country to investigate claims with regard to landed property on the spot.

Chilaw.—The Chief of Chilaw was the President of the Landraad. Though properly under the Dessavonie of Colombo, it was indulged with a separate jurisdiction, because the inhabitants were all Singhalese. The Native Chiefs of the several Provinces into which Chilaw was divided, were members of the Landraad, and the Secretary of Chilaw was the Secretary to the Court.

Jaffnapatam.—The Dessave was permanent President, some junior merchants and book-keepers, together with the Malabar Chiefs, were members. Under the Government of Jaffna was comprehended Mulitivoe and Manaar. There was at Mulitivoe a Landraad for determining the civil cases which arose in the Wannie. The Commandant of the Wannie was President of his Landraad. The Commandant of the Troops, two or three Civil Servants of Mulitivoe, and the Presidents of the outstations, were members of the Court, and the Secretary of Mulitivoe acted as Secretary of the Landraad.

Manaar.—Had also a Landraad, of which the Chief was President, the Commander of the Troops, together with some Civil Servants and Native Chiefs were members, and the Secretary of Manaar was Secretary to this Court.

Galle.—The permanent President of the Landraad was the Superintendent of the Galle Corle. The pay book-keeper was Vice-President, and the members were the Thombo keeper, and some book-keepers; the Modliars of the Corle, together with the two Mohandirams of the body guard; the Secretary was at the same time a member: and when the Chief of the Mahabadde was at Galle, he had a seat and vote next the President.

Matura.—The Dessave was President of the Landraad. The members were the Commandant of the Troops, the Secretary of the Dessavonie, the head Surgeon, all the Modliars, and the Chief of the Mahabaddie.

Trincomalie.—The Chief was President of the Landraad; the members consisted of the Administration, the Secretary, and some Officer of the Garrison.

Batticaloa.—The Chief was President, the members were the Commandant of the Troops, the commercial book-keeper, the Surgeon, the President of the outstations, and the principal Native Chiefs.

Putlam.—There was a Landraad of which the Chief of the united Districts of Putlam and Calpentyn was President. The members were the Wannias (Chiefs of the Malabars), and the Chief of the Moors. The Assistant of Calpentyn was Secretary.

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Observations—The President and Members of the Landraad, like those of the other Officers of Justice under the Dutch Government of Ceylon, had no separate allowance for acting as Judges. The sum of 40 R. net, £5 sterling per annum, was allowed them for Mantallgeld (or cloak money), and even this money was paid from the twentieth penny which the Company received from the sales of private immoveable property. When any of its Members were deputed by Commission to decide causes at a distance, their moderate expenses were defrayed by Government, if Government required their attendance, or by the party requiring it.*

In tracing the progress of the jurisdiction of the Dessave, Mr. Cleghorn observes a striking example of the prevalence of what we call the feudal laws. Under the Native Governments of the country, the Dessave was the Governor of a Province during his life only, holding it as a kind of fief from the Crown. This dignity, however, in the Districts belonging to Kandy, gradually became, and now is hereditary.

As the revenue of the Sovereign was all paid according to an invariable modus in kind, the Dessave, so long as he fulfilled the final statements for the Province he governed, acted in it like a feudal Baron, with all the power of a Sovereign; and when his adherents were numerous, and his government supportable, the people of his District were apt to lose sight of the King, and become so attached to the interests and family of their Dessave, that the coalition of a few of these often became dangerous to the Crown. The number and power of the Dessaves appear to have been the reason which made the first European invaders of Ceylon represent the Island as divided into so many various Kingdoms.†

The Portuguese and Dutch preserved the name of this Officer, so long familiar to the people, but prudently left him only the exterior of power, and the superintendence of Justice.

Tenures of Property.—It was an acknowledged principle in Ceylon, as in the feudal Kingdoms of Europe, that all lands belonged to the Sovereign, and that the inhabitants held their possessions in virtue of a conditional grant from him.

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* In 1799 the Landraad of Colombo, which alone had been preserved under the English, cost Government 4,628 star pagodas, or £1,849 12*s.* sterling, per annum. It was not necessary that this Court should consist of the same number of members under the English as it did under the Dutch Government. Under the former, the administration of justice was the sole employment of the members. Under the latter, their time was occupied by a variety of vocations.

† In the Kandian territories, though the office of Dessave was hereditary, and the persons who held it the real and natural aristocracy of the country, yet various revolutions limited their power. They were obliged constantly to reside at the seat of Government, and not permitted to visit their respective districts, without leave from the King, and while absent their families were retained in Kandy as hostages for their conduct.

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Since the establishment of Europeans in the Island, land has been sold or ceded in perpetuity to different individuals, who hold their possessions by various tenures. Some by grants or by purchase have acquired all the rights of absolute property; others are granted to tribes, or castes, and to native individuals, on condition of performing certain public services.

Moedal Paraweni.—The lands called Moedal Parawenies, and Lat Parawenies, are held by individuals, paying 5 per cent to Government on every change of proprietorship, and being subjected in the European Settlements also to several collateral taxes, viz:—to the payment of the tythe in kind, whether Rice, Beetle-nut, Cocoanut Oil, &c.

Clandestine Cultivators.—The Lands called Aswedoe Paraweni, are of small extent, being clandestinely cultivated without grants, and fall, of course, into the mass of property belonging to the superior.

Tenure by Paraweni.—Grants of lands were very generally bestowed under the name of Paraweni by the ancient Princes of the country, partly to that class of the inhabitants known by the name of *Naindes* (or born servants of the Lord), and partly to individuals possessed of some hereditary office for the services they were obliged to perform.

Lands thus returning are called *Mălăpāloo*, and are often granted anew; while they remain in a state of forfeiture they are called Mălăpāloo.

Tenure by Accomodessan.—By far the greater portion of the land, and that too of the most productive, has been granted away both in the Kandian and in the Maritime Districts, under the name of Accomodessans, either hereditary, or for life, or during a stipulated time, to persons, families, or villages, for some office which they hold, or services which they are bound to perform. In the Maritime territories this species of property has been granted without object or necessity, and the quantity of land held by Accomodessans has become both prejudicial to the public revenue, and burthensome to the people.

Ottoe.—All lands granted in Paraweni, and many held in Accomodessans, pay to Government the tythe of their produce, under the denomination of Ottoe.

Tenure by Ande-Velden—Cultivated lands not held by the above Tenures, pay to Government one half of their produce. These lands, so profitable to the revenue, are called Ande-Velden.

Other Tenures.—Besides these, other tracts of land belonging to Government are cultivated by the inhabitants, and are subjected to different impositions. The lands called Moetal, Chenassen, &c., are generally high lands, planted with fruit trees, and whether cultivated with or without consent, pay to Government one-third or one-half of their produce. Lands of this description are mostly found in the Western or South-Western parts of the Island, chiefly inhabited by Singhalese.

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Government, about 30 years ago, burned the ancient Portuguese Land Register, with a view to prevent litigation.

Districts *under the Dessavony of Colombo.*—In the Dessavonie of Colombo was comprehended the Districts of Chilaw, Negombo and Caltura; whose Chiefs or Commandants were accountable in all civil cases to the Dessave, administering Justice in his name, and referring to him all such cases as they could not take upon themselves to decide.

The Districts of Jaffna were under the jurisdiction of a Military Commandant, who was President of the Council, who represented the Governor, and who received his commission from the Governor General of Batavia.

Jaffnapatam was divided into the following districts.

1st.—District proper of that name, was governed by a Dessave, who had under him the resident of Kaits and Point Pedro.

2d.—The Wannie, governed by a Military Chief, who by an agreement with Government was clearing the woods and cultivating the lands, and who at the same time farmed its revenues.

3d.—The Island of Manaar with its five opposite dependencies on the Coast, under a Civil Servant.

These three persons governed the country of Jaffna in the same manner as the Dessave has been described to govern that of Colombo.

As Judges they administered Justice, each having a Landraad in their different Districts, from which appeals were made to the Court of Justice at Jaffna, to which they also referred such causes as they could not take upon themselves to decide. From the Court of Justice at Jaffna, an appeal lay directly to Colombo; its decisions not being subjected to the revisal of the Commandant and Civil Council of the Province. The litigious disposition of the Malabars surpassing that of the Singhalese, rendered the establishment of the Court of Landraad more necessary here than at any other place.

The great defect in the executive Government of Jaffna was, that the native Chiefs of the inhabitants were universally the collectors of the revenue. They had hence a double power of oppression, and the ruin of the people has only been prevented by that persevering activity and industry which characterizes the race of Malabars by whom these districts are chiefly inhabited.

In the country dependent upon Galle, the Civil and Military authority was vested, as in Jaffna, in a Military Commander and his Council. It was subdivided as follows:—

1st.—The Galle Corle was governed by a Civil Servant, who was accountable to the Commander.

2d.—The Dessavony of Matura was dependent also on him for the administration of revenue, but accountable only to the Government of Colombo for the management of the other concerns of the country. It was much more extensive than the Galle Corle. At both these Districts

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there was a Landraad, from whence appeals lay to the Court of Justice at Galle, and from thence to that of Colombo.

The countries dependent on Galle, it is said, were the best administered in the Island, notwithstanding that the inhabitants of Matura were extremely refractory.

Trincomalie was under a Military Commander, and till the year 1766 had but a very small territory annexed to its Government. At that period the Kandians ceded to the Company the countries of Cootiar, Tamblegamme, and Cottiar Pattoe.

These three countries were fertile in Grain, and moderately populous, but of late years their agriculture has been mostly ruined, partly from the conduct of their Chiefs, and partly from the various changes of Government which Trincomalie has experienced.

A Landraad has also been established at Trincomalie, whose Chief formerly decided all causes in person, and appeals lie from it to the Court of Justice at Jaffna.

Batticaloa was formerly under a Military Chief, until the Peace with Kandy in the year 1766, and had no other territory than the small Isle of Poeliantivoe at the mouth of the river. But at the Peace in 1766 the Company obtained in Sovereignty from the Kandians, the eight Provinces of Batticaloa. These countries are now governed by a Civil Servant and a Landraad. In criminal cases appeals are made to the Court of Justice at Jaffna.

The civil causes arising in the Fort and adjacent Districts, were brought before the Landraad. But such causes as arose in the interior were referred to an assembly called *Lands Vergadeving* composed of the members of the Landraad, and of all the Native Chiefs who held their appointments from the Governor of Ceylon. This Assembly met twice a year, and its sessions lasted for several days. It decided all the disputes of the interior of the country, generally upon a verbal hearing of the parties, and no appeal lay from its decisions, except directly to Government. This Assembly also examined the accounts of the revenue of the Country, delivered by the native servants of the Company, who received a salary, and were called *D'Inlande Bedienders*, whose accounts were totalled with those kept upon cadjan [olah] leaves, by the Native Chiefs of the country, called *D'Inlande Hoofden*, each of whom was obliged to superintend the payment of the revenue of his District, though no part of it passed through his hands; their duty as Chiefs being to preserve good order, and the Police of the Country. By those regulations all imposts whether territorial or personal, were uniform in all the country dependent on Batticaloa; that is, from the limits of Matura to those of Trincomalie, an extent of coast of 70 leagues. In consequence of these regulations too, the revenue of this Province was quadrupled, and the quantity of cultivated land, at least doubled in a very few years after they were carried into execution.

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Calpentyn and Putlam were under a Civil Chief. The Island of Calpentyn was an ancient possession of the Dutch. The very narrow District of Putlam was ceded by the King of Kandy at the Peace of 1766, together with the territory of Chilaw, which forms a part of the Dessavony of Colombo.

Putlam.—There was an Assembly at Putlam, where the Chiefs of the country met, and their proceedings were regulated in the same manner as those of Batticaloa. From their decision there lay an appeal in criminal cases to the Court of Justice in Colombo, and in civil cases to the Governor.

All the countries dependent on the six places above mentioned, formed the general division of the Dutch possessions in Ceylon. These were infinitely sub-divided, and from a Province to the most paltry village, various Chiefs under different denominations presided. The principal of these, to whom the Superintendence of a Corle or Province was committed, were called *Wannias, Moodeliars, Mohandirams, Coraals, Vidaans, Attekoraals, &c.*

All these were nominated to their employments by the Governor. The stamped paper on which their Commissions were written, constituted a part of the revenue.

Native Officers. *Hereditary.*—Notwithstanding that native offices, by the Regulations of the Company, were declared not to be hereditary, yet they almost all (except the *Wannias*) in fact became so. This circumstance, as may be afterwards shewn, augmented their influence and gave rise to great abuses.

Many useless, and merely Titular.—In process of time Government augmented these abuses by creating many Titular Offices, which were at once prejudicial to the revenue, by the alienation of lands for the support of the individuals who enjoyed them, and oppressive to the people, who had no occasion for such a number of useless Chiefs.

Lesser Chiefs.—The little Chiefs in the villages, under the names of Mayoraals, Adigaans, Patangatyns, Pattebendies, &c., were naturally still more numerous than the Chiefs in the country, and were nominated by the Commandants or Dessave, who granted them this Charter of Office, written upon an ola or palm-leaf, and the fee paid upon such occasions by these little Chiefs, was a perquisite to the Civil or Military Servants of the Company, to whom they owed their appointment. By far the greater part of these Native Chiefs received no salary; but in right of their Office, held lands or Accomodessans, which joined to other emoluments, secret or avowed, enabled them to live with comparative splendour. All these Chiefs were known in the Dutch time by the name of *Inlandse Hoofden*, and each of them had a jurisdiction over the inhabitants of their respective Districts; their authority gradually augmenting from that of the Mayoraal to that of the Moodeliar, which last had the power

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of inflicting slight fines and corporal punishments, a power he was very apt to abuse; but crimes of a more serious nature, and such civil causes as they could not decide to the satisfaction of the parties, they were obliged to report to the European Chief of the Province or District.

Besides these, the Company entertained a number of Native Servants, known to the Dutch by the general name of *Inlandse Bediendens*, to the principal of whom Accomodessan lands were also given. Some of these were Interpreters, Conicopolies, others formed a kind of Island Militia, called Araatjes, Cangannies, Lascoreens, &c. As a Militia, they were useless and contemptible, and their principal service was to attend the different European Chiefs, and to see their orders observed.

Maha Modliar.—Was the first in point of rank of all the Native Servants. He was the first Interpreter to the Governor, and without having any particular District to govern, he had nevertheless great influence over the native inhabitants in all. The Dutch generally considered it good policy to allow him to retain and extend that influence.

The nomination of all these principal natives to employment depended solely on the Governor, though they were in most instances disposed of agreeably to the recommendations of the chief Civil or Military Servants of the Districts where vacancies happened.

Causes which prevented the Dutch advancing in improvement.—It may appear surprising that the possession of the Island for near a century and a half, had not been productive of a system of Jurisprudence more equitable, and of Taxes more just. When we consider, however, the situation of the Company, and the circumstances in which it had been placed for the last twenty years, when we reflect that the Dutch possessions in Ceylon have been wrested from many petty Native Princes or ancient Dessavonics, whose extinction is not so remote as to be yet effaced from the remembrance of the inhabitants, who remain invariably attached to their ancient religion and manners, and when we add to these the feeble means of the Company, we shall be satisfied that the system of administration was as well organized as circumstances would admit. The greatest defect was the power entrusted to the Modliars, and its greatest excellence the establishment of the Landraad. Mr. Cleghorn thinks the power of the first ought to be gradually abolished, and the power of the last to be revived and confirmed.

Upon the conquest of Ceylon by the English, the authority of the Modliars was suppressed, and the system of Dubash agency introduced from the Carnatic. Mr. Cleghorn is convinced of the abuse of this system; the Dubashes, he observes, were strangers, whose introduction as well as conduct created universal disgust. But the Modliar was a native of high rank, possessing hereditary influence, and adding to the authority of his office, that of his caste. He is the only judge, in the first instance, of the disputes among the natives. He is a constituent member of the Landraad, and few of the natives venture to appeal from his decision to a

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Court where one of the Judges may have been their oppressor. It is he who calls out the individuals of the different castes to the public services they are bound to perform, and the exemptions he grants to some, and the additional labour he imposes upon others is a source of oppression to the inhabitants, and of profit to the Modliar.

If the poverty and indolence of the natives were traced to their true cause, these would be found to originate in the insecurity of their little property, which lies at the mercy of the Modliar. That few or no appeals have been made against his decisions, Mr. Cleghorn thinks a stronger proof of the dread of his oppression than of respect for his justice.

Of the chief sources of Revenue.—The Revenues of Ceylon chiefly arose from taxes on land or persons, on manufactures, and on the importation and exportation of certain commodities. The Land Tax was sometimes in kind and sometimes in money. The greater part of the land cultivated for Paddy paid to Government a tythe of the produce. Gardens paid a tax in money, the possessors being exempted on account of their caste. A territorial tax can always be pretty equally distributed, and in fact it was levied in Ceylon with less inequality upon the contributors than the impost paid in money.

The tax upon persons was paid collectively, or individually. The collective personal tax was the capitation paid by some castes, or by persons of certain professions and vocations. This tax was moderate, and varied in different districts. In its origin it must have been collectively consented to as an annual tax, in lieu of personal service, to which the contributors had been formerly subjected. This poll tax was easily collected, and would have constituted a more considerable branch of revenue, if the registers had been faithfully kept, and if there had been more probity in the Collectors of the Department.

The individual personal tax ought rather to be considered as the price of a voluntary redemption from service than as a tax. Each individual, yearly, at the formation of the register, had the option to pay the tax, or to labour a certain number of days in the year for the public. The amount of this tax throughout the Island came to a considerable sum; but the registers were not faithfully kept, and great abuses were committed by the Collector.

The total number of persons liable to servitude in all the Dutch Districts of the Island ought not to be less than 250,000.

Imports and Exports.—The Duties, without any apparent reason, differ at different parts of the Island; and many articles of internal growth and consumption, augment in their price to the consumer, without proportional benefit to the revenue.

An article which yielded a considerable benefit to the revenue under the Dutch Government, was Salt, which was manufactured for the benefit of Government, who possessed the exclusive privilege of selling this article to the Kandians.

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The Chief Civil Servant at Calpentyn was charged with the superintendence of the Salt, and his principal duty was to prevent its being clandestinely manufactured and sold.

Mr. Cleghorn observes that peculation in every form was an avowed perquisite of office. The Dutch Superintendents, which the Committee recommended to prevent smuggling, would become smugglers themselves. For every bushel of Salt sold for the profit of the Company, they would sell twenty for their own.

The Salt superintendence of Calpentyn was considered by Governor Vandergraaf as so great an appointment, that he gave it to his brother, though not of standing in the Service to enjoy a seat in Council.

The greatest inconvenience to which Ceylon was exposed, arose from the annual produce of its Rice not being equal to the annual consumption of its inhabitants. The apparent liberality of the Dutch to the landed proprietors, appears to have resulted from their indifference; their object was a commercial not a territorial revenue.

In conclusion, Mr. Cleghorn suggests.

First, encouraging agriculture with the most persevering activity. The building Tanks at the public expense, and granting to individuals cultivated lands free of tythe for a certain number of years, in proportion to the expense they incurred for the construction of Tanks.

Secondly, the inviting weavers from the Coast, and the encouraging Cotton manufactures, particularly coarse cloths.

Thirdly, equalizing the payment and collection of the Land Tax.

Fourthly, regulating the personal Tax.

Lastly, abolishing all monopolies but those of Cinnamon and Salt.

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Medical and Surgical Hints.

ACCIDENTS AND EMERGENCIES IN THE JUNGLE.

THESE hints and instructions are intended to meet the emergencies of the far-off world, where a case may be urgent, and the doctor beyond reach. It cannot be too earnestly insisted on that the first best thing to be done when an accident has happened, is to send away at once for the doctor; if much time must elapse before he can be brought to the spot, or if his assistance cannot be obtained, the next best course to be adopted shall be set forth in these pages, as shortly and intelligibly as possible. Happily for mankind, ordinary accidents require little more from the tenderness and intelligence of others, than the obvious suggestions of good sense, aiding the operations of nature, and committing to her the wonderful process of restoration, which to our encouragement, is often seen equal to the necessity of the case, and bringing about a perfect cure or a well-adapted compensation.

We shall treat in due order of Bruises, Sprains, Wounds, Bleeding, Scalds and Burns Broken Bones, Dislocations, Drowning, &c., Sundry Ailments, Useful Medicaments.

BRUISES.—The best application for a bruise, be it large or small, is moist warmth; therefore a warm bread and water poultice, or hot moist flannels should be put on, as they supple the skin, so that it yields to the pressure of the blood beneath, and thereby the pain is lessened. If the bruise be severe and in the neighbourhood of a joint, it is well to apply some leeches on grown-up persons, but not on young children, because the bleeding may be continued to a very serious extent. Ten or a dozen should be spread over the whole bruised surface, and afterwards a poultice, or flannels should be applied, to be continued so long as pain and swelling remain. If the bruise be on a joint, the poulticing will often require to be long continued, on account of the stiffness which may attend it, and when left off, it is advisable to wrap up the joint in a soap plaster.

Be cautious about the knee or ancle, because too early use of these parts after injury often lays the foundation for serious mischief, and in scrofulous persons, especially those who are young, may run on to the loss of a limb.

SPRAINS.—It is worse to sprain a joint than to break a limb; and sprains are among the most severe accidents to which we are liable, not only in present suffering, but in their results. In general, the treatment of a sprain is to be conducted as a bruise, with perfect rest; and if it be a knee or ankle, the person should lie on bed or on a sofa. Warm, moist flannels, a bread and water poultice on going to bed, and if the pain and swelling be considerable, leeches. When the tenderness is subsiding, and only a little pain and stiffness in the joint remain, a vinegar poultice is a very good application, as it produces a diversion of the low inflammation going on in the ligaments, by bringing out a crop of pustules on the skin, at a time when the pressure in rubbing with any stimulating liniment cannot be borne. Beware of too early use of a sprained joint, which often swells a long time after the injury; in which case it may be bound with straps of soap plaster, or a roller.

WOUNDS.—Cuts or chops, if they be not large, and have not divided any important parts, are the most simple and managable wounds. A large piece of flesh, even a finger or a toe, may be cut or chopped off, and the wound heal kindly and readily under proper treatment. But, occasionally, a very trifling and simple cut, in an irritable or intemperate person, will prove fatal from locked-jaw. If a cut or chop be not very deep, and if it do not bleed much, or even if it do bleed, but the bleeding can be staunched by bathing for a short time with cold water, it is generally of not much consequence, and can be easily and simply treated. The corresponding edges of the wound are to be brought together as perfectly as possible, and while thus held, some strips of plaster are to be laid across the wound, with a small space between every two, so as to allow the escape of an oozing fluid, which often continues for some hours. The edges of the wound should not be dragged tightly together, but merely kept in place by the plaster; and if the wound be in the finger, arm, toe, or leg, it is better that the ends of the plaster should not overlap, as there is always a disposition to swell in the neighbourhood of the wounded part; and then if the ends do overlap, it forms a tight band, which at least causes unnecessary pain, even if it do not set up greater mischief. If common sticking-plaster, or strapping, be not at hand, court-plaster may be applied, or thin bands of tow, wound lightly round the part, and smeared with gum water; or white of egg smeared on linen; or, in the absence of all these, a soft bit of linen may be wound round the part, which is quickly moistened by the oozing from the wound, and as it dries the linen sticks pretty firmly together. Should the bandage, of whatever kind, become

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tight by the swelling, and cause pain, it should not at once be taken off, but the blade of a pair of scissors should be carefully run beneath it, and it should be divided from end to end, on the opposite side to the wound. This generally gives instant relief, and the dressing requires no further meddling with. It is always better to leave the dressing as long as it remains fast, and without pain, usually three, four, or five days, and if then taken off, either the whole, or the greater part of the wound will be found united.

But if the wound, or its neighbourhood, become painful, and throb, the dressing must be removed, which is best done by soaking in water of an agreeable warmth, or by covering with a wet poultice, which after a few hours softens the dressing, so that it can be easily removed. If the wound be not inflamed, that is, red and tender, and if the discharge from it be good, that is, straw-coloured, and of a creamy consistence, the dressing may be re-applied; but if the edges be red and inflamed, or if they be pale and flabby, if the wound gape, if the matter be watery and stinking, then a single strap or band is to be applied to keep the edges near together, and the part must be covered with a poultice till the pain and inflammation cease, and the matter be of a good kind. Do not mess a wound with Friar's balsam, Tincture of benjamin, or such nostrums, as they hinder rather than encourage its union; and for the same reason, use no greasy applications.

A clean stab, if of depth, although it should not cause any serious mischief, generally does not heal so readily as a cut, because it often unites near the surface, whilst its bottom lodges matter; and therefore, although for some days it may seem to heal very steadily, yet then it becomes painful, the wound opens, a gush of matter follows, and this may be repeated once or twice before the cure is completed.

A bruised cut, is to be treated by endeavouring to unite the edges by sticking-plaster as in a clean cut; but if there be much bruising, the part destroyed must separate and be thrown off before the wound can heal. Apply a bread and water poultice first to moderate the inflammation; and as soon as matter begins to form, and the extent of the slough is marked, which is shewn by the dropping in of the dead part, with a narrow raw line between it and the living; then change it for a linseed-meal poultice, which is to be continued till the slough is come out, and the gap is filled up with new flesh. When the new flesh gets above the edges of the wound, it is commonly known as *proud flesh*, and wrongly supposed to prevent the healing of the wound, for it is in reality the material which is produced for that purpose. When the hollow of the wound has thus filled, the poultice may be left off, and the sore lightly bound with straps of sticking-plaster, or a linen bandage moistened with cold water, and carried a few turns round, will often answer the same purpose. If the new flesh rise much above the wound, it must either be kept down by pressure, or it may be brushed lightly over with a bit of bluestone or blue vitriol; and sometimes merely a bit of dry lint will suffice.

BLEEDING—From a wound may generally be stopped by pressure;—if in the arm, near the arm-pit, let a by-stander press his thumb firmly into the neck, behind the middle of the collar bone; if in the thigh, the pressure is made immediately below the crease in the groin, the patient lying on his back. When the injury is below the middle of the upper arm, or below the middle of the thigh, recourse may be had to the stick-tournaquot, by passing a stout handkerchief once or twice round the limb, some distance, if possible, above the wound, and tied tightly and firmly. A piece of tough stick is then pushed beneath the circular bandage thus formed, between it and the skin, and twisted till the blood ceases to flow. The screwing should only be continued till the bleeding stop; for if the bandage and stick be strong, and the twisting be continued, the soft parts beneath may be severely and unnecessarily bruised.

SCALDS AND BURNS—Require great promptitude and presence of mind. Be quick in removing the sufferer from the fire or hot water, and let him be put to bed immediately; cut the clothing off in pieces, and with much caution, as under rough handling the blistered or burnt skin may be torn off with it, and the accident rendered much more dangerous and difficult to treat. Remember, that as it is always hoped the scald or burn is confined to inflaming or blistering the skin, it is of the utmost consequence *not to burst the blister by tearing the skin, nor to let out the water it contains by pricking it.* If the skin be unbroken, dry or wet applications, as they are most handy, may be used; but if the skin be broken, wet applications, if they can be got at once, are best—otherwise dry ones must be used, the object being to protect the exposed sensitive true skin that lies beneath the scarf skin, of which the blister consists, from the air, which renders it excessively painful.

The best and readiest dry materials are flour or cotton, or cotton wadding; the wet are, spirits of turpentine, spirits of wine or good brandy, lime water and oil, lime water and milk, milk alone, or bread and milk poultice; and these wet applications must be made of sufficient warmth to feel comfortable to the finger, but not hot. Flour is

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best dusted on with a dredger, and should be thickly strewed over the injured part and some little distance beyond it. A cambric or thin linen handkerchief well floured, should be wrapped round it. Cotton should be carefully pulled, so as to be free from lumps or knots, but cotton-wadding is better; the unglazed side should be put next to the skin, in three or four thicknesses, and the whole confined with a roller.

Spirits of turpentine, or of wine, or any other spirits, heated by placing in a cup-full of warm water which the finger can bear, must be gently smeared over with a broad web of a feather, or a large camel's hair brush; this should be continued ten or fifteen minutes, after which, lint or soft linen thickly spread with a liniment of spirits of turpentine and yellow basilicon, should be applied and confined with a roller; the dressing should not be removed for twenty-four hours; then the part washed over with proof spirit, and the liniment as before re-applied immediately. The third dressing, twenty-four hours after, should have the liniment composed of the basilicon and camphorated oil; or, if this should be too sharp, calamine or zinc ointment, thickly spread on linen, may be applied and continued. This is known as Kentish's treatment, and is much practised in the coal districts.

If the scald or burn be very extensive, lime water and linseed oil is a most excellent application. One part of lime water must be mixed with two parts of oil, and stirred round quickly with the hand; into this a sheet or large piece of linen is plunged and thoroughly soaked, then wrung out lightly, and quickly wrapped round the limb or body. Lime water and milk in equal proportions, or the milk alone, may be used in like manner. Bread and milk poultice, thinly spread, is also a very good application, and in burns, where the skin has been much charred or roasted, it is the best application from the beginning.

In about forty hours, if the blister look as if its contents were milky with a red line of inflammation round its edge, the water must be let out with a point of a large needle, or three or four snips with the scissors; it should then be pressed down with a wad of lint, with a dressing of simple wax and oil.

When the true skin has been destroyed, a linseed poultice must be applied and continued till the dead part or slough come away: this must then be dressed with calamine or zinc cerate, and rolled; or it may be protected by sifting flour, or starch, powdered chalk, or calamine powder, repeated two or three times a day, if need be, till a thick crust be formed.

Burns with lime must be treated with vinegar, which converts it into a harmless substance, and then a poultice or a dressing of ointment and a roller must be resorted to. Quicklime in the eye must be washed with vinegar and water; inflammation is sure to follow, and leeches may be applied, and diligent bathing with warm poppy water or simple warm water; a smart purge must also be given.

Broken Bones—With a broken arm, the least painful method is to put the fore-arm at a right angle with the upper in a broad sling, which will contain it from the elbow to the points of the fingers; walking will be attended with less pain than being moved in a carriage of any kind. For a broken leg or thigh: a hurdle, a door, or a shutter, covered with straw, coats, or blankets, should be laid by the patient's side, and he gently lifted upon it; let the sound limb be brought close to the broken one, and tie them both firmly together with two or three handkerchiefs, and place a pad of long straw along the outside of the limb to keep it steady; take care to lay the broken bone as near as possible in its natural direction, and remember, that if by careless or rough handling an end of the broken bone be thrust through the skin, the mischief is seriously augmented. Broken limbs should not be set, that is, bound up with roller, splints, and pads, for the first three or four days, as, for some hours, the part continues swelling; at first, then, lay the broken bone in as comfortable a posture as possible, and as nearly as can be in its natural direction, with perhaps a single splint, lightly bound, to keep it steady. A broken collar-bone, or broken ribs, however, require immediate attention; this latter accident may be known, if at every breathing, a stitch or prick in the side of the chest be felt, and if the hand be placed on this part, and the breath be drawn in deeply, the ends of the bone will be felt moving on each other and giving a sort of crackling feel; a flannel or linen roller, about six yards long and two hands-breadth wide, must be wound tightly round the chest, so as to prevent any motion of the ribs in breathing, which must be performed by the midriff alone; this renewed twice during the month will suffice. If the ribs be broken on both sides, or the breast bone, the bandage will do mischief: there is little for it but complete rest, and such accidents are very dangerous. If the collar-bone be broken, place high up under the arm-pit, a pad as big as two fists, and twice as long, and secure it there; secure the elbow to the side with a bandage, and place the elbow and the fore-arm in a short sling, which lifts up the shoulder, and should be tied on the neck on the sound side. The bandages must be worn a month.

An arm broken above the elbow may be thus treated. The immediate swelling

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after the accident having subsided, the limb must be placed with the fore-arm bent at a right angle with the upper. The hand and arm are to be lightly swathed in a roller, the turns of which should over-lap each other, and be continued a little above the elbow; and then a long roller well soaked in gum water or stiff starch may be swathed round the upper arm, from the elbow to the armpit. The limb must then be laid carefully on a pillow, in, as nearly as possible, its natural position; and in the course of a few hours the gum or starch dries, and a tough, unyielding, well-fitting case encloses the arm and rarely requires being meddled with till it be removed at the end of a month.

An arm broken below the elbow, if but one of the bones be broken, may be treated in the same way. If both bones be broken, two padded splints are required, extending from the tips of the fingers to the bend of the elbow in front, and to the point of the elbow behind. The fore-arm is now bent on the elbow; the splints applied, one before, the other behind, and both bound firmly to it with a roller, from the fingers up to the bend of the elbow. The arm then resting on its back is to be put into a sling; and the splints must be kept on a month.

A broken leg, in most cases, can be managed easily and well by merely rolling it, from the middle of the foot to the knee, in a long bandage, well soaked in thick starch or gum water, which is preferable. The limb is then laid on its outside upon a smooth pillow, and little further remains to be done till the end of the month, when it may be removed.

A broken thigh, though a much more serious accident than any yet mentioned, may be managed quite as easily, and, in many cases, if the person will be quiet, without any splints, although it is better to use them. The patient must be placed on his back upon a firm mattrass, laid on a board resting on the bed frame, as the sacking sinks with the weight of the body resting on it for some weeks. Two thick pads are to be made, one to cover the whole of the inside of the sound knee; the other, the inside of the ankle of the same limb. Both limbs must now be laid close together, in the same straight line as the body, resting on the heels, with the toes right upwards, and the calves flat on the mattrass. Thus far done, the body must be kept immoveable by one person, who grasps the hips with his two hands. A second person then takes hold of the broken limb with both hands, just above the ankle, and gently and steadily draws it down without disturbing its position, whilst a third places the knee-pad between the two knees, and the ankle-pad between the ankle. The gentle pulling being continued, the sound knee is brought close to that of the broken limb, but a little above it, so that it rests against the jutting inside of the joint, and then, both being kept close together, a pad, about as broad as the hand, must be turned round both legs, directly below both knees, and around this a roller, about three yards long, must be tenderly, carefully, and tightly wound, so as to prevent one knee slipping from the other. Both ankles are next to be tiedtogether in like manner, care being taken that that of the sound is above that of the broken limb. A small pad is now to be put between the insides of both feet, and this completes the whole business; which, however simple, has been attended with as many good cures as under the more difficult and complicated treatment.

Broken bones with wounds of the soft parts running down to them, or compound fractures, are very serious accidents, and are dangerous in proportion to the size of the wound, and the tearing and bruising of the soft parts. Where medical assistance cannot be obtained, the great object in the treatment is to make the case a simple fracture, by healing the wound as quickly as possible, which should be attempted by uniting the edges of the wound by bringing them lightly together with strips of sticking plaster, and the limb should be covered with a light, cold, wet linen cloth, repeatedly moistened by squeezing a wet sponge over it. If, happily, the wound heal soon, much of the dreaded danger ceases, and after a few days the accident is to be treated precisely as if there had been no wound.

Dislocation of the arm into the arm-pit may be thus reduced.—Let the patient and the person who is to pull the arm into place, both lie down on the floor on their backs, side by side, but in contrary directions. The operator then places a towel into the patient's arm-pit on which he plants his naked foot between the chest and the arm, using the right foot or the left, as the right or left shoulder is displaced. He then grasps the patient's wrist with both hands, and pulls the arm down steadily; at the same time he tells the patient to make some little change in his position; and thus inducing him to call some other muscles into motion, the resistance is for a moment suspended, and at that moment the operator pulls a little more vigorously, and generally the bone returns to its socket with a more or less loud snap.

Drowning.—In carrying a person apparently drowned, care should be taken to keep the head a little higher than the trunk; if a house be near, let him be carried to it with all expedition, stripped, and placed between the blankets, which may have been warmed whilst stripping the body. If at a distance from a house, and the sun be powerful, he had better be at once stripped, and laid fully exposed to it, in such dry clothes as

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may be procurable; the body should be wiped dry, the mouth cleared of the clammy froth, the head and shoulders a little raised, heat applied to the pit of the stomach and soles of the feet, and rubbing with a coarse flannel, or a jacket incessantly, over the body and limbs, but especially over the chest. The heat may be furnished by bottles of hot water, by hot bricks, sand, or ashes in woollen stockings, by a pan of warm coals, taking care it be not too hot, or even by immersion in a warm bath, if it can be had. Endeavour to get air out of and into the lungs, by pressing the chest and belly, but not so as to interfere with the rubbing, which is the principal thing to be relied on. This rubbing may be continued for some hours; there is a case on record of a person recovering when no sign of revival had appeared till the rubbing had been continued eight hours and a-half from the time of the accident. As early as possible, warm tea or weak wine and water, should be carefully given, taking especial care that it be put far back into the throat, or it may be poured into the windpipe and do serious mischief.

ACCIDENTAL POISONING.—If with *oil of vitriol* (sulphuric acid), give, as quick as you can, some strong soap, dissolved in warm water. If with *oxalic acid* (salt of sugar), give some *whiting* or chalk made into a thin cream with water, as quickly as possible.

In other cases of poisoning, give an emetic; to do this, take two teaspoonsfull of common flour of mustard, (even that in the mustard pot will do), mix this with a small tumbler of warm water.

LIME WATER.—Take half a pound of unslacked lime, and three-quaters of a pint of water, mix them slowly in an earthen pot, and after three or four hours when the slacked lime has sunk to the bottom, pour off the clear fluid and cork it well, keeping the bottle from the light.

GOULARD WATER is made by dissolving one drachm of sugar of lead in a pint of soft water. When used for the eyes, two grains of the sugar of lead are to be dissolved in two tablespoonsfull of water.

The following are a few simple family medicines, with which no house should ever be unprovided :—

Castor Oil
Lenitive Electuary, or Confection of Senna
Calomel
Tartarized Antimony
Iodide of Potash
Sulphate of Quinine
Ipecacuanha Wine
Mercurial or Blue Pill
Rufus, or Aloes and Myrrh Pill
Powdered Rhubarb
„ Opium
„ Gum
Oil of Cloves
„ Peppermint
Carbonate of Lime
Croton oil

All these fluids and powders in stopped bottles.

CURE FOR SNAKE BITES.

The following method of treatment for the Bites of Snakes, Scorpions, Centipedes and other venomous creatures, has been extracted from the *Sydney Morning Herald*, and it has been considered advisable to adopt it without alteration, in justice to the subject and the writer.

IPECACUANHA, A CURE FOR VENOMOUS BITES.—You will oblige me by inserting the accompanying two cases, the result of the successful application of ipecacuanha, to the bites of venomous animals. One of my servants while bathing, felt something run into his foot, and on putting his hand into the water to ascertain what it was, received a similar injury on that member, but he succeeded in seizing the animal, which proved to be a fish about four inches long, armed with two processes of bone close to the abdominal fin. The natives call the fish *Singhee*.—I saw the man an hour after the receipt of the wounds; he then complained of severe headache, had a hot skin, and general fever; the hand and arm, also the leg and foot, were very much swollen, and excessively painful, the pain shooting upwards; the lids of both eyes were also very much swollen. I mixed the ipecacuanha powder with water to the consistence of mustard, and applied it to the injured parts; in two minutes the pain had ceased, in an hour after the fever had left him, and in the course of two days the swelling in all the parts had entirely subsided. I was induced to try the above remedy from having applied it with invariable success in several cases in the bite of the centipede. I was indebted to this hint to one of your correspondents, some three years ago, who wrote of the success that had invariably attended the application of ipecacuanha to the bites of the centipede. The second case was that of a palkee bearer, who was bitten on the right foot by a snake; but, owing to its being at night, the animal escaped. When I saw him, some time after the receipt of the injury, he complained of the leg feeling heavy, and a gnawing pain

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throughout the whole of the limb: it was cold to the touch, and swollen. The man was suffering from great depression of the vital powers, and prostration of strength. I gave him a tablespoonful of sal volatile in a little water; and on examining the foot, discovered the two punctures where the fangs had entered. I scarified the part freely, and put the whole of the foot into hot water, but it did not bleed freely, I therefore applied the cupping glasses to the calf of the leg in two places. In a quarter of an hour I gave him another tablespoonful of sal volatile, still keeping the foot in hot water; the heaviness of the leg was less, but the gnawing sensation continued. Three-quarters of an hour after I first saw him I applied the ipecacuanha paste; in less than five minutes the man told me his foot was quite light, and then the gnawing pain had entirely left it. The man remained in my verandah two hours, and had not any return of pain; he then went to his house in the neighbourhood, and the following day I heard he was free from pain, but that the leg was still swollen. For three days he applied goulard water, and in ten days came and made me a salaam, perfectly well. The scarifications had not quite healed, but the leg was of the natural size. H. J. THORNTON, Assist. Surgeon.—*Hongkong Gazette.*

SNAKE BITES.

To the Editors of the Sydney Morning Herald.

GENTLEMEN,—The kindness and humanity with which you some months since made room for a communication recommendatory of the powder of ipecacuanha as a remedy for the bites of snakes, centipedes, and other venomous animals, lead me once more to request a corner for a further paragraph on the same topic. My former paper was simply a copy of a letter from the Government Medical Officer at Hongkong, Mr. Thornton, detailing with great clearness the curative effects of a simple poultice of the powder of ipecacuanha applied to wounds of the above description.

The account appeared to me so satisfactory, as to lead me to resolve to seize the first opportunity of testing the efficacy of the drug. No such occasion, however, presented itself until last Saturday, when an industrious neighbour was bitten in the foot while collecting wood in the adjoining bush. She returned home with her leg swollen to an extraordinary size, and suffering such an excruciating pain as to be prevented from attending her ordinary avocations. I did not hear of the accident till Monday, when, on inquiry, finding that the symptons were in nowise abated, and that no medical assistance had been called in, a quantity of powder was sent for, and applied by an intelligent person in the form of a poultice, as directed by Mr. Thornton. On Tuesday morning the swelling had in a great measure subsided, the pain had ceased, and she was able to resume her usual work, and on Wednesday she was well.

The favourable impressions made by Mr. Thornton's letter were greatly confirmed by this case, and I think it ought to be generally known for the comfort and information of all who are exposed to such accidents, who are not a few. It will be generally a matter of difficulty to ascertain the character of the reptile inflicting the wound, as it is very likely to escape without detection; but if the drug shall be found deserving of the good character it has acquired in Hongkong, and which I am venturing to lay some claim for it here, it has the recommendation of being (as it is stated) effectual in the attacks of all the venomous creatures with which our bush is infested, and which add so materially to the hazards to which infant life is especially exposed, even in our cottage gardens and grounds.

It may be used in the simple form of a poultice, made without a moment's delay, and without the demand of any skill on the part of the person applying it; and moreover it does not interfere with or supersede any more scientific applications which may be adopted where medical assistance can be procured; but it appears to be capable of very salutary application when that assistance is at a distance or unattainable.

Since writing the above, another case of a snake bite has occurred, in which the wound was subjected to medical treatment with a successful result; the powder was also applied, but it would be impossible to say whether any share in the cure could be ascribed to it.

I beg to add, that I am a mere reporter of facts; not having the honor of any professional medical character, I should not be justified in offering any opinion on the subject.

I am Gentlemen, your obedient servant,

St Leonard's, North Shore, December 13. H. E.

STINGS, ETC.

(Communicated by W. G. Hall, Esq.)

"In connection with the useful remedies for the cure of Snake bites contained in p.p. 188 and 189 of the Almanac for the current year, you may possibly like to know, that the natives of this Island use a still more ready and simple remedy for stings from every

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description of reptile,—viz., the common lime or shell-chunam, as used by them to chew with their beetle. I have seen scores of instances in others, and experienced on several occasions on my own person, that a little chunam made into a paste with simple water, and applied to the punctured part *immediately*, is an infallible and instantaneous cure for stings from Centipedes, and Scorpions; and have been assured by natives, that it is equally effectual in the stings of the Tarantula, and all other reptiles, except the "Cobra," the "Tic Polonga," and one or two other kinds of Snakes. Simple as this remedy is, and well known as it is throughout every part of the Island to the natives, I should refrain from calling attention to it, were it not that I have known, and met several Europeans who had never heard of it."

Trincomalie, 8th October, 1852.

THE CHOLERA.

BOARD OF HEALTH.—The fifth notification from the Board of Health earnestly repeats the cautions previously given as to diet and clothing, and states that the articles of food, where there are the means of choice, should be solid and nutritious, and such as tend to maintain a moderate costiveness in the bowels. Every day's experience shews the urgent necessity of instant attention to the slightest degree of diarrhœa, as being the most certain premonitory symptom. Where medical assistance cannot be immediately procured, the same medicines formerly recommended by the Board are again set forth, viz., for an adult, from 10 to 20 grains of confection of opium, with two tablespoonfull of peppermint water, in a draught composed of one ounce of chalk mixture, with 10 to 15 grains of the aromatic confection. From 5 to 10 drops of laudanum, and from half a drachm to a drachm of the tincture of catechu. That such a dose should be taken where there is any degree of relaxation in the bowels. The caution is also repeated against the use of cold purgative medicines, such as salts and seidlitz powders and all drastic purgatives, such as colocynth and aloes. If persons are however suddenly seized with cold, giddiness, vomiting, and cramps, the proper course is to use warm applications of every description, and to promote perspiration as much as possible with white wine whey, a teaspoonfull of sal volatile in hot water, &c.

The following prescription, said to have been used with great success in Cholera cases, is reprinted from the *Colombo Observer*.

CHOLERA PRESCRIPTION.—1 oz. of camphor dissolved in 6 ozs. of spirits of wine—Two (2) drops for a dose.—not more.—The patient to be put to bed immediately and to take two drops three times at intervals of five minutes on a little pounded sugar in a tea spoon full of water.—After he has had three doses, an interval of ten or fifteen minutes to be allowed to elapse; then repeat in the same manner until the patient has taken ten or twelve drops in all—when he will most likely fall asleep and perspire freely.—The bed clothes must not be heavy but warm—and nothing else must be taken while he is taking the camphor drop, except *cold* water, otherwise the effect will be neutralized.—If the patient should wake feverish, a dose of Gregory's powder to be administered in peppermint water or sal volatile; he must not exert himself for some time and be particularly careful not to expose himself to cold, and live on broths, &c., for a few days.

The following extracts from a letter addressed by the Rev. C. Caulfeild of Creagh Rectory, Skibbereen, to one of the Ministers of the English Government, and subsequently published in the Lodon and local Newspapers, is re-printed in the hope that it may prove useful.

"As a clergyman, I have had many opportunities of trying the remedy; and in no case did the patient die, the recovery being always speedy and perfect. I make no apology for venturing to address your Lordship, as the great importance of the subject will be, I trust, deemed sufficient.

"The preventative is simply a small tea spoonfull of powdered charcoal, taken three or four times a week in a cup of coffee, or other vehicle in the morning. When attacked with Cholera, a mixture of an ounce of charcoal, an ounce of laudanum, and an ounce of brandy or other spirit, well shaken together, may be given: a tea-spoonfull every five minutes. In half an hour I have known this effectually relieve and stay the disease. As the patient becomes better, the mixture may be given at longer intervals. I have known a patient in the blue stage, and collapsed, perfectly recover in a few hours.

The charcoal was tried as a preventative on a large plantation in the Mauritius, and not a single individual out of 800 was attacked with Cholera.

"Should your Lordship think it well to make this simple remedy known, it may save the lives of thousands, now that this dreaded disease has visited our land.

"I have the honor to be, your Lordship's very obedient and faithful servant,

"CHARLES CAULFEILD."

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DYSENTERY.

The following letter from Dr. Maxwell, Garrison Surgeon of Trichinopoly, is republished from the Examiner, into whose columns it was copied from the Madras Spectator.

After alluding to a report of his own death, the writer says: "Several other deaths of old friends reported at the same time in the papers, I would fain hope may turn out as unfounded as my own,—but I fear this is a vain aspiration; they must be too true, especially those in Ceylon, where it is reported Dysentery is making sad work amongst the European residents;—three of whom have already died in the Central Province. What can be the cause of this unprecedented, and almost constantly recurring mortality from that disease in Ceylon? Is it exposure or neglect, or the absence of Medical assistance, or what?

I consider Dysentery very easily cured, if treated in time. I have seen much of it amongst all classes of men. Endemic dysentery and fever I consider one and the same disease, as Sydenham did long ago. I treat them both on the same principle and with the same medicines: and if the disease is treated in the same way in Ceylon, then I can only say it must be a fearful form of that scourge indeed, which appears to baffle medical skill.

I have been lately treating, and am at this moment, treating cases of that disease of the worst description.

The results of my experience I was at the very time sending, and am still sending, to Europe; when my death however was reported, and my attention diverted to its contradiction. It occurred to me that I could not do better than publish here also, the results of my experience: both as the shortest way of shewing that I was not only not dead, but even not asleep, as well as that it would prove of the greatest benefit and assistance to the poor sufferers in Ceylon.

My experience, then, in "ENDEMIC DYSENTERY," may be considered as condensed in the following case, which occurred only a few days ago. G. C. age 30—was in good health up to yesterday morning, since which he has been constantly purged, with griping and straining and passing of blood and mucus and fluid, like the washings of meat—cannot assign any cause.

Quinine	ten grains,
Brandy	one ounce.
Oil of Anisi	
Cinnamon and Peppermint	a few drops of each.

Hot water a wine glassful.

In the evening the motions were less frequent and less bloody.

The dose was repeated.

The diet was chicken broth.

The drink lemonade.

In the morning the motions were nearly natural.

The dose was repeated.

In the evening the patient was convalescent.

N. B. In cases still more severe and rapid, the above draught must be repeated oftener, according to the urgency of the case. The poor and those who cannot get quinine, must treat themselves, or be treated, in the manner I have related.

My friends must consider themselves indebted to you, for their having thus quickly received the above information through your Journal, instead of via Europe; and I cannot do less, in their behalf, than beg your acceptance of my works on these diseases published in 1838. Not that you may offer remarks on them, which they dont require, and I would rather not, but that you may have them for reference or for a knowledge of what has been written. They must, like all other works, contain numerous errors; but the structure remains—I mean that my views and treatment have not changed. Should any of my friends or any one else wish for further particulars on this head, I shall be most happy to afford it either by letter or through the medium of your paper, if you will afford it a place.

I beg to remain, dear Sir,
Your obedient and obliged,
W. G. MAXWELL, M. D.
Garrison Surgeon.

Trichinopoly, 18th June, 1851.

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Materials for Paper Making.

[From the Correspondence between the Departments of the Treasury and Board of Trade in regard to the increasing scarcity of Materials for the Fabrication of Paper—with Note by G. H. K. THWAITES, Esq., Superintendent of the Royal Botanic Gardens, Peradenia.]

Professor J. Forbes Royle's Memorandum on materials for Paper making procurable from India.

IN reply to the reference from the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade, requiring my opinion respecting increased supplies of raw material for paper making, I beg to be allowed to observe that it is a subject on which I have of late been frequently consulted, and have communicated much of the following information.

Paper, it is well known, is in Europe made chiefly from linen or cotton rags, but also from the refuse and sweepings of cotton and flax mills, as also of the coverings of our cotton bales and of worn-out ropes. But paper is also made from the stems and leaves of many grasses, as from rice straw, and from the bamboo by the Chinese, and of late from common straw in this country, and even from wood shavings. The fibrous part of many lily and aloe-leaved plants have been converted into excellent paper in India, where the fibres of tiliaceous, malvaceous, and leguminous plants are employed for the same purpose. As in the Himalayas, one of the lace-bark tribe is similarly employed, and in China one of the mulberry tribe, and the nettle in Holland. I mention these various sources, because plants belonging to the same families as the above abound in India and other warm countries, and are capable of yielding a very abundant and never failing supply of sufficiently cheap and very excellent materials for paper making of all kinds. Some may be used without any further process of bleaching, but all are capable of having any colour they may possess destroyed by chemical means, as I would not even except the jute canvass or gunny bagging, because I have seen specimens of jute of a beautiful silky white, both plain and manufactured into fabrics for furniture, &c., &c., as shown by the late Colonel Calvert at the East India House. As the Chinese make paper of rice straw, and of the young shoots of the bamboo, while the Hindoos make ropes of different grasses (such as Saccharum Munja and Saccharum Sara,) strong enough for their Persian wheels as wells as for towing lines, it is evident that these, and probably many others, contain a sufficiency of fibrous material for paper making. The cultivated cereals cannot well be turned to much account, for their straw forms the chief food for cattle; but as the country abounds with grass jungles, which are in the autumn of every year burnt down in order that the young blades may spring up and afford pasturage for cattle, it is evident that there are many situations where a sufficiency might be cut down before it has become perfectly dried up, and converted into *half stuff* for paper makers.

Of the sedges also some are in India employed for making ropes, as the Bhabhur or Eriophorum Cannabinum, for making rope bridges for crossing some of the hill torrents. The Papyrus we know was used by the Egyptians for making their paper, but this was by cutting the material into thin slices and making them adhere together under pressure. But others of the genus, as the Cyperus tegetum, are used in India for mat making. As these plants as well as rushes grow together in large quantities, it would be quite possible in many places to turn them to profitable account.

Many parts of the world abound in the lily and aloe-leaved plants which have been alluded to above, and of which the leaves contain much easily separable fibrous materials. These belong to the Genera Agave, Aloe, Yucca, Sanseviera, Bromelia and others, all of which abound in white-coloured fibres, applicable to various useful purposes, and of which the tow might be used for paper making, and considerable supplies obtained. Paper used to be made from the Sanseviera in Trichinopoly, and some made of the unbleached Agave alone, and also mixed with old gunny bags.

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Among cultivated plants there is probably nothing so well calculated to yield a large supply of material fit for making paper of almost every quality as the plantain (*Musa Paradisiaca*) so extensively cultivated in all tropical countries on account of its fruit, of which the fibre-yielding stems are applied to no useful purpose. The plant, as every one acquainted with tropical countries knows, is common near the poorest huts and in the largest gardens, and is considered to yield by far the largest quantity of nutritious matter. Its fruit in many places supplying the place of bread, and in composition and nutritious value approaching most nearly to the potatoe, may, if produced in too large a quantity, be preserved in the same way as figs, or the meal may be separated, as it resembles rice most nearly in composition. Each root-stalk throws up from six to eight or ten stems, each of which must be yearly cut down, and will yield from three to four pounds of the fibre fit for textile fabrics, for rope-making, or for the manufacture of paper. As the fruit already pays the expenses of the culture, this fibre could be afforded at a cheap rate, as from the nature of the plant, consisting almost only of water and fibre, the latter might easily be separated. One planter calculates that it could be afforded for 9*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* per ton. Some very useful and tough kinds of paper have been made from the plantain, and some of finer quality from the same material in France.

All the plants which have been already mentioned are devoid of true bark, and are called endogenous in structure. Simple pressure between rollers, and washing, would appear to be sufficient for the separation of the fibres of most of them. But the following families of plants are all possessed of true bark which requires to be stripped off, usually after the stems have been steeped in water, before their respective fibres can be separated from the rest of the vegetable matter.

The flax plant abounds in fibre, but this is too valuable to be converted into paper. India, however, grows immense quantities of the plant, on account of its seed (linseed) which is both consumed in the country and exported in enormous quantities, but nowhere is the fibre turned to any account. This is no doubt owing to the climate not favouring the formation of soft and flexible fibre; but the short fibre which is formed, and might be easily separated, would be valuable for paper making, and might add to the agriculturists' profits without much additional outlay.

So some malvaceous plants are cultivated on account of their fruit, being used as articles of diet, as the Okhro (*Hibiscus esculentus*) of the West Indies and of the United States. The *Ram turai* of India is closely allied to it, and is cultivated for the same purposes. Both plants abound in fine flexible fibre, which is not, but might be, easily separated, and afford a considerable supply, especially if the cultivation was extended in the neighbourhood of towns. Paper is made from a species of Hibiscus in Japan, and *Hibiscus Sabdariffa* is cultivated in India on account of its jelly yielding calyxes. Numerous other species of Hibiscus, of Sida, and of other genera of this family abound in warm climates; several are cultivated in different countries as *Hibiscus Cannabinus* in India, and *Sida Taliæfolia* in China; more might be so. They grow quickly and to a large size and abound in fibrous material of a fine soft flexible quality, on which account they might be cultivated with profit, and the tow be useful to the paper maker.

The Tiliaceæ are likewise remarkable for the abundance and fine quality of fibre which many of them contain, *Tilia Europea* produces the enormous quantities of best exported from Russia. *Corchorus olitorius* and *Corchorus capsularis*, the leaves of both of which are used as a vegetable, yield the large supply of jute imported into this country, as well as the gunny cloth and bags exported even to America. Several species of Grewia yield edible fruit, on which account they are cultivated. Others abound in the jungles, and most would yield a valuable fibre, as some of them already do, for commercial purposes. Some paper is made from gunny bags. Some of the Leguminosæ also abound in valuable fibre. *Crotolaria juncea* yields the common sun of India. *Sesbania Cannabia* yields the dhanchi of Bengal; while *Bauhinea Racemosa* is used for making rope bridges in the Himalayas. The fibre of *Parkinsonia aculeata* was sent to the Exhibition in 1851 expressly as being fitted for paper making: though colourless it wants strength.

Several plants produce large quantities of a silky cotton-like substance, not applied to any use, such as the silk-cotton tree, the mudar of India, &c., &c., several species of Saccarum, which might be collected where labour is cheap, and would no doubt be well fitted for conversion into pulp for paper.

Among the nettle, the mulberry, and bread-fruit tribes of plants, there are many which seem well calculated to yield material for paper making. The Chinese we know employ the inner bark of morus, now *Broussonetia papyrifera*. This, no doubt, produces some of the Chinese paper which is remarkable for toughness. I

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believe that the refuse cuttings of the bush cultivation of the mulberry in Bengal might be turned to profitable account. The bark of many stinging (*Urtica*), and of stingless (*Boehmeria*) nettles abound in fibres remarkable for strength; the tow of these might be converted into paper stuff if not required for mixing with wool.

The weeds of tropical countries which grow in such luxuriance, and among which are species of Sida, of Grewia, of Corchorus, of Triumfetta, and of many other genera, might all yield an abundance of fibrous material if the refuse of the above cultivated plants was found not to be sufficient. Some simple machinery for separating the fibre would greatly facilitate operations, while the expenses of freight might be diminished by compression, or, as suggested, by packing the material as dunnage; and the cheapness of labour, as of every thing else in many of these countries, would enable material for paper making to be brought here in great abundance and at a sufficiently cheap rate, if ordinary pains were taken by the consumers in Europe to encourage the planter or colonists of a distant region.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) J. Forbes Royle.

Dr. Lyon Playfair on materials for Paper making.

Many attempts have been made to furnish new raw material for paper, but hitherto with only partial success. The failure generally results from one or more of three causes. (*a*) Some fibres require so much cost to bring them to the state in which they are offered to the paper makers, in the form of rags or cotton waste, that in point of economy they cannot enter into competition with the latter. (*b*) Certain fibres loose so much weight in bringing them to this state, that they cease to be economical. (*c*) Certain fibres, which are well adapted on account of their texture for the paper trade, present so many difficulties in bleaching them as to render them unfit for white paper. The Surat bass, in which cotton has of late years been imported into this country, offers an example of this difficulty.

The price which is mentioned in the Treasury letter of 2*d.* to 2½*d.* per lb. for a partially prepared pulp, is generally considered by most makers to be too high, and they think, that materials to be of benefit should be looked for at the price of 1*d.* to 1½*d.* per lb. The latter price refers to *roughly* prepared pulp, but should the pulp be offered in a bleached state, or in as far an advanced state with regard to colour and texture as cotton or linen rag, then 2½*d.* to 4*d.* per lb. might be obtained. The quantity of any promising material sent home for experiment should not be less than half a ton in weight.

In considering this subject, it appears that very little is known of the statistics of the consumption of the various materials used in the manufacture of paper, and that an inquiry on this subject would be useful.

I have &c.,
(Signed) Lyon Playfair.

Note by G. H. K. Thwaites, *Esq., F.L.S., &c., Peradenia.*

The foregoing observations by Professor Royle and Dr. Lyon Playfair are full of interest to the resident of Ceylon; and the question naturally arises;—Is this Island able to produce fibres answering to the requirements stated? Are there already growing here, and which might be readily procured, plants from which fibres could be cheaply produced in almost unlimited quantity?—I believe there are. We have the cultivated Plantain at every door; the wild Plantain is in great abundance in some districts; the Pine-apple in almost every garden; the American Aloes not uncommon, and might be rapidly propagated; the "Neyanda" (Sanseviera zeylanica) scattered pretty extensively throughout the Island. Then there are, belonging to the Hibiscus or Mallow family of plants, the Banducoy, the Shoe-flowers of various kinds, the "Belipatta" (Hibiscus tiliaceus) and the "Appele" (Urena lobata), all of which could be obtained in very large quantities. Of the Nettle tribe we have the "Gass-dool" (Urtica speciosissima) growing in the greatest abundance in many parts of the Island; and the *Boehmeria nivea*-or Chinese Grass-cloth plant has been lately introduced, and can be propagated with great rapidity. The "Warra" (*Calotropis gigantea*) is a common weed in some districts; and there are several creeping plants of this and an allied family, such as the "Wal-dool" (Anodendron paniculatum) which yield a very strong fibre. Many of the creeping leguminous

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plants produce a strong coarse fibre; also some of the Banyan or Fig-tribe; and the "Allandoo" (*Allœanthus zeylanicus, Thw.*); the "Ritte" (*Antiaris saccidora*) and many others.

The "Walla" (*Gyrinops walla*) and the "Naha" (*Gnidia eriocephala*) produce a very tough fine fibre, but not easily separated.

As the principal object to be kept in view is the practicability of producing a good cheap, and *abundant* fibre, it is clearly of no use directing our attention for this purpose to those plants which are not common, or which could not be cultivated with ease, or the fibre of which could be collected only with difficulty and much expense.

The cultivated Plantain seems to offer at present the best source of an abundant supply of fibre, and my excellent neighbour Mr. Hawke of the Peradenia Sugar Estate has shewn me some very beautiful samples, of a silky lustre, produced from the stem of the common Plantain by a process of his own invention: Mr. Hawke was led to pay attention to the subject from seeing the experiments going on in this Establishment. Mr. Wright of the Peradenia Coffee Estate has also prepared very good samples not only of Plantain-fibre, but also of that from the "Neyanda," and he has moreover been so obliging and liberal as to make me acquainted with the process he adopts, which is a very simple and effective one, and well adapted for the native to employ. His apparatus consists of a square beam of soft wood, planed very smooth, 6 inches by 6 inches, and from 3 to 6 feet in length according to circumstances; and a scraper formed of Areca or any other very hard wood. The latter instrument somewhat resembles a carpenter's *spoke-shave*, the ends being formed into two convenient handles, and the centre part cut into one or two knife-like edges.

For preparing the fibre from the Plantain stem, it is only necessary to peel off, one after another, the investing sheaths and treat them in the following way:— From each sheath the two thin edges to the width of about two inches are to be first cut and then laid upon the flat surface of the beam of soft wood; an assistant can hold them at one end, or the native operator can do this with his foot whilst he with the scraper, which he works from him with both hands and with considerable force, removes the skin and pulp, until the fibre only remains: this is to be then rubbed with a coarse cloth and dried in the sun as soon as possible, the remaining central piece of the sheath can then be treated in the same way, having first roughly removed the soft spongy portion which contains little or no fibre. After a little experience, the process can be carried on with great ease and rapidity.

The industrious native thus might, by this means, after a little practice, prepare considerable quantities of excellent fibre from the Plantain, the "Neyanda," the Pine-apple and the Aloes: and it is not necessary that the bulky leaves of these plants should be carried any distance, for the native could take out with him the simple apparatus I have described, and bring home without difficulty the result of a profitable day's labour. The "Neyanda"-fibre, which is of a very superior quality and easily separated, might be procured in the way above mentioned with, I doubt not, very considerable profit to the collector.

It is quite unnecessary for me to enlarge upon the importance of the subject of this paper, for it is well known to all whom this communication is likely to reach; I will conclude by expressing my sincere hope that this Island may be benefitted to the extent I am sanguine enough to anticipate.

Peradenia, 18th Dec. 1854. G. H. K. Thwaites.

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